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Defeat the Great Western Airways By Score of 9 to 2

LOST GAME TO INNISFAIL

In a hard fought and very exciting game of hockey played at the arena on Thursday night, Innisfail defeated the locals 6 goals to 5. The play was evenly divided, and Innisfail was lucky to win.

On Monday night the local hockey squad turned in their best game of the season and completely swamped their opponents the Airways team of Calgary. When the smoke of battle had cleared away it was found that the locals had bagged 9 goals, while the Calgary team were annexing 2.

The locals showed more finish to their attack than at any time this season. Their team play was exceptionally good; time after time they went down the ice with a two or three man rush that carried right into the goal mouth, giving the Calgary goalie no chance to save.

It would be hard to pick out a star of the locals, but there is no denying the dazzling game played by Big Jack Boucock and Doc Evans. DeMeeres in goal had one of his nights on, and looked like old Eagle Eye himself. Bobby Smart went out there to do a lot of checking and do it.

The Teams:

G. W. Airways—B. Heron, goal; Paton and Hamilton, defense; Adams, Rose and McLaren forwards; Knight Bryant and Evans, subs.

Crossfield—DeMeeres, goal; Smart and Murdoch, defense; Stevens, Boucock, Evans, Campbell and Pearson, forwards.

Referee, K. Borbridge.

Don't overlook the hockey game on Monday night between the Chinese Y.M.C.A. team of Calgary and the locals. Face-off at 8.30.

Popular Restaurant Man and Bride Welcomed Home

Mr. and Mrs. George Lim, who were recently married at Victoria, returned home on the 3.50 train on Saturday afternoon, and were given a right royal welcome by about 200 of the citizens of the town and district. They were conveyed to their new home on a decorated sleigh with Pete Blaskin riding in the front seat playing the accordion. George held a reception and gave the children and the ladies candy and fruit, to the men, cigars and liquid refreshments.

We join in wishing George and his lady true joy, health and happiness.

West of Crossfield News

On Friday evening last a party of young people gathered at the home of Mr. H. W. Rowney for the purpose of springing a "chivaree" for Mr. and Mrs. F. Jensen. The "Chivaree" was a grand success and after the regular routine of amusement the party broke up and all joined in singing "For He is a Jolly Good Fellow."

Mrs. Jensen who was formally Miss Kathleen Rowney, was a very popular young lady of this district.

Coming Events

The Old Timers' Round-Up in the U.F.A. hall on February 12th.

Cards and dance in the East Community Hall on Friday night, February 7th.

Hockey on Monday night, Feb. 10th when the Chinese Y.M.C.A. team of Calgary play Crossfield.

You get another chance at the dollar you spend at home.

Town Meeting Poorly Attended

Ratepayers Show Little Interest In Town Affairs

Mayor J.M. Williams Re-Elected

The annual meeting for the discussion of Village affairs and nomination was held in the Fire Hall on Monday evening at 7 o'clock.

Those present were Mayor Williams, Councillors, Wm. Laut and Chris Asmussen, along with four employees of the town and five other ratepayers.

Owing to the limited number present, the proceedings were of a round-table nature. Mayor Williams explained the expenditure for the past year and also outlined what the Council intended doing during the coming year.

Mayor Williams was re-elected to the Council by acclamation for the three year term.

O'NEIL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Win Landymore motored to Calgary on Sunday.

Mrs. Garnet O'Neil is spending a week visiting her parents in Milo.

The regular "Five Hundred Social" and hop was held in the O'Neil school house last Friday, sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Askow. There were about one dozen tables in full swing, every one having a delightful time. Prizes were awarded as follows:

Ladies 1st—Alice O'Neil; ladies' booty, Annie O'Neil.
Gent's 1st—Charlie Aldred; gent's booty, Neil Ross.

Wonders that never cease—

1. Captain Wigle was present at the above function.

2. John Chalmers was seen dancing the heel and toe polka, Friday evening.

3. The O'Neil "Whippersnapper" broom ball team were prepared to tell the world how they trimmed the "East Community Cannibals" on Saturday evening—But—since it was the debut of the "Whippersnappers" it was mostly boo! Just wait till next Saturday when they play the "Meadow Side Giants."

4. The Deacon Slips—Keep your eye on him!

Our local teacher is rather partial to cutters.

Kenneth O'Neil is still a bachelor.

The Hog Market

Hog market took a sharp drop this week:

Bacon selling at 11.75

Butcher selling at 11.50

Select Bacon, selling at 11.25

Prices off cars, Calgary market

New Grading taking effect 3rd.

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All other sows 4½ to 6½¢

Roughs any weight 6½¢.

Annual Meeting M. D. of Rosebud on February 15th.

A meeting of the electors of the Municipal District of Rosebud, No. 280 will be held at Carstairs at one o'clock in the afternoon, on Saturday, the 15th day of February, for the discussion of the affairs of the district, and the nomination of candidates for the office of councillors.

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A New Hope For The World

The five-power naval conference is in session in London, England, as this article is written. It is a momentous gathering, fraught with great possibilities for the good of all mankind. Assembled around the conference table are leading statesmen of Great Britain, United States, France, Italy and Japan, the five greatest naval powers in the world. The British delegation also includes representatives of the self-governing Dominions and India.

The problem confronting these eminent statesmen is to find some basis of agreement whereby a step can be put to further competitive building of ships for warlike purposes, and, if possible, to provide for a substantial reduction in the number of existing ships by scrapping some now in commission and providing that there shall not be replacement of others when they become old and obsolete.

So worded, the average man would be inclined to say that it should not be a very difficult matter to reach an agreement, but the problem is by no means so simple as it seems to the layman. One country places greater reliance on huge battleships than does another country, others desire many fast cruisers of moderate tonnage, others feel their necessities call for larger cruisers, some want a great number of submarines, while others are prepared to outlast them altogether. Great Britain is ready to abolish both submarines and the huge battleships, and rely on cruisers of moderate tonnage. The United States is agreeable to the outlawing of the submarine, but still feels the necessity of the big ship. France is opposed to abolishing submarines.

And so it goes.

There is something to be said for each contention. Great Britain has colonies and coaling stations, oil and supply depots all over the world. The moderately sized cruiser will, therefore, fit into her requirements for defence of her great shipping and commerce. But other countries, lacking such re-fueling and supply depots, feel the need of larger ships, carrying greater quantities of fuel and supplies, so as not to be forced back to home ports too frequently. France is convinced that the submarine is her great arm of naval defence inasmuch as she cannot hope to compete with Britain and the United States in the building and maintenance of large battleships and cruisers.

However, the conference is a hopeful sign of the desire of the nations to lessen the burden of armaments and consequently to decrease the possibility of war. One thing is certain, and that is that the people in all countries are extremely anxious that their leaders should succeed in reaching some unanimous conclusions. They are the ones who have to bear the burden of taxation imposed for these huge armaments; it is their sons who are withdrawn from productive employment to man the navies, and undergo intensive training for possible future campaigns.

The most hopeful feature of the present conference is that it has been preceded by conferences between the nations at which efforts have been made to find common ground, to iron out old differences, to allay old suspicions. The conference may not achieve all that might be hoped for and desired, but it marks a further advance on the work of the Washington Conference of some years ago, much will be gained, and the way be paved for further reductions and understandings in another few years. Thus step by step will progress be made.

An indication of this better understanding has already been evidenced by the visit of Hon. Ramsay MacDonald to President Hoover, and the co-operation now existing between the two great English-speaking nations in the cause of world peace. Further evidence is supplied by the general tenor of editorial comment in the press of the two countries, by speeches of their public men, and articles in magazines and the more influential publications.

An example of this willingness to consider and appreciate the other fellow's viewpoint and position, instating or misrepresenting them, is found in a recent issue of the Philadelphia Evening Bulletin. It states some home truths for its United States readers. To quote in part: "The salt water, I believe, is freest of all, in peace, within that jurisdiction—the British—where it was formerly (in centuries past) least free. Britain accords the peaceful world, so far as her writ runs, complete maritime freedom and equality, even within her own ports and coastal waters. Her port charges are the same to others as to British. Foreign ships may take part in her coastwise trade.

"Her broad theory is that maritime commerce, under whatever flag it may move, holds out some hope of profit to the greatest contemporary seafaring peoples. No other nation is of like mind—the Italian, not the French, not the Japanese, not the Americans. Our coastwise trade, for example, is reserved rigidly for vessels of American registry, and none other may ply between our home ports and those of our overseas territories."

Recognition of this broad liberty accorded to the shipping of all nations by Britain, as contrasted with the narrower policy adhered to by all other great naval powers, thus openly presented to the readers of a great United States paper, is an indication of that better and more cordial feeling towards Britain now so evident in the neighboring republic. It is because such better feelings do exist, and are growing stronger, that hopes for the success of the present naval conference are so high.

Canada's Cabinet Ministers

Oldest is Hon. W. R. Motherwell, and Youngest Hon. C. A. Dunning.
Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Minister of Agriculture, who has just celebrated his seventieth birthday, is the oldest member of the Dominion Cabinet. The youngest is Hon. C. A. Dunning, who at 45 is Minister of Finance. The others are: Postmaster-general Veniot, 66; Minister of Interior, Stewart, 61; Minister of Health, King, 57; Minister of Public Works, Elliott, 57; Prime Minister King, 55; Minister of Labor, Heenan, 54; Minister of Customs, Euler, 54; Minister of Justice, Lapointe, 53; Minister of Railways, Crerar, 53; Minister of Marine, Cardin, 50; Minister of Trade and Commerce, Malcom, 49; Minister of National Defense, Ralston, 48; Secretary of State, Rinfret, 46; Solicitor-General, Canon, 42; Minister of Immigration, Forke, who has just resigned, was 69 in 1911. The last named, this makes an average of about 55 for the seventeen, a figure which for that class of work affords the vigorous age classification.

CAN YOU WITHSTAND RIGORS OF WINTER?

Or Are You Subject To The Many Ills Of This Trying Season?

The rigors of winter sap the vitality of even the strongest. Lack of exercise, overheated rooms and a restricted diet, will gradually impoverish the blood and impair the health. That is why you are susceptible to colds—why you find such difficulty in throwing them off.

To be proof against cold, flu or other winter ailments the blood must be nourished by rich, red, health-giving blood. A tonic medicine must be taken to build up this rich, red blood. Such a tonic is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills—thousands recommend them as a remarkable blood-builder and winter tonic.

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Discover Cancer Serum

Two San Francisco Surgeons May Make Important Contribution To Medical Science

Discovery by two San Francisco surgeons of what they call a "cancer killing serum" was disclosed when it became known that medical agencies of the University of California have decided to co-operate in further experiments with the substance.

The originators, Dr. Walter Bernad Coffey, chief surgeon of the Southern Pacific Hospital, and Dr. John D. Humber, his colleague, specified that the serum was not to be regarded as a cancer cure, but asserted that it was able to kill cancerous tissues.

The serum is derived from the outcrops of the adrenal glands of sheep.

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University Of Alberta

Debaters Win A Three To One Verdict Over Manitoba In Inter-University Contest

Piling up a conclusive argument which completely controverted that of their opponents, University of Alberta debaters recently defeated the University of Manitoba by a three-to-one verdict of the judges for the McGowan Cup.

Alberta speakers upheld the affirmative of the subject, "Resolved that total disarmament is essential to world peace." The debaters for Alberta were David Sigler and F. E. L. Priestley, and for Manitoba, Ronald M. Macdonnell and R. Gerald Riddell.

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Dr. Leonard Hill, who is director of applied physiology, National Institute of Medical Research, Hampstead, said there was a toxin that could be employed to kill millions of men, when he was contrasting the power of the scientific laboratory with that of modern war machinery. "If men are as susceptible as guinea pigs to the toxin, which shall be nameless—and there is every reason to think they are—it would appear that one spoonful of this dry toxin would suffice to kill 1,000,000 men. The toxin acts if inhaled, or if it falls on the eye in a powder. If such a toxin were prepared and scattered from an aeroplane, what would be the use of the panoply of war?"

Lady (who has just returned to the village after her honeymoon)—"Well, John, I suppose my youngest was a nice day's wonder in Grant-hampstead?" "John—'Ay, that it were, Marm. Leastways it would 'a been if Sam Boyle's dog hadn't gone and made the same day."

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Race For Supremacy In Flying Atlantic

English, American, and Canadian Concerns Are Planning Routes

A race for supremacy along two air lines over the Atlantic Ocean, one via the Arctic and sub-Arctic, the other over a seadrome dotted ocean route, may be started within the next year or two, aviation officials in Canada believe.

Authorities at Ottawa see possibilities in the northern route which would make Canada, eventually the skyway between civilizations of the eastern and western world.

Three different concerns, one in Canada, one in England, and one in the United States, are at present investigating the possibilities of regular transatlantic air services which would carry passengers, mail and express.

The American concern is now engaged in the construction of a full sized seadrome, a giant movable raft on stilts, which will be tested off the southeast coast of the United States, in 1930. In Canada, Warren Schell, an industrial engineer now making his headquarters in Winnipeg, is considering a route from Winnipeg to Baker Lake, across Baffin Island to Greenland.

In England the Royal Geographic Society has announced its intention of organizing an expedition to study conditions along a proposed route which would carry aircraft across to northern Canada, down to Edmonton and then through to Vancouver.

In all three plans expense, it is thought, will prove the main consideration. The cost of placing seadromes across the Atlantic would be enormous, while that of equipping and maintaining adequate airports in the far reaches of northern Canada, on the Greenland ice cap and through the sub-Arctic islands would be equally or nearly as great.

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Makes Unusual Find

Trapper In British Columbia Discovers Eight Foot Miniature Dirigible

John Sandberg, a trapper in Gold Creek district, about 50 miles southwest of Fernie, B.C., is reported to have made an unusual find while patrolling his trap line. The discovery is claimed to be an eight foot miniature dirigible or airship in almost every detail like a large air liner. Inside the tiny cabin was a sealed glass receptacle with a note giving a name and a Toronto address which was the point of embarkation of the airship, and requesting that the party finding the tiny craft should report fully, describing the territory where it was found.

A reward of either two dollars and 50 cents, or \$250, is reported to be payable to the discoverer and Sandberg is not divulging the Toronto address until he has communicated with it.

The direct air line distance between Toronto and the point where the balloon was found is at least 1,800 miles.

Only the uninformed endure the agony of corns. The knowing ones apply Holloway's Corn Remover and get relief.

Egypt, today among the world's most prosperous nations, derives her wealth mainly from the soil through irrigation and drainage work.

A British printer has discovered a method of producing luminous ink in various colours, for reading in the dark.

Grandmother knew—She Used Minard's.

Demolish Churches

Religious Edifices In Russia Are Torn Down To Make Way For Secular Buildings

Simanov monastery, which in former days was the most important and richest in Russia, was blown up with dynamite to make room for a gigantic new Soviet workers' club and "cultural centre."

Five thousand red workers carried away the debris; each pledging himself to remove one stone and throw it into Moscow River. This action followed the recent conversion by Communists of the famous St. Isaac's Cathedral, in Leningrad, into a huge anti-religious museum. The hundred-ton bells of the cathedral were so unwieldy that the authorities had to destroy them piecemeal in the bellies.

More than a score of other churches in Leningrad and Moscow are now in process of demolition and are being replaced by commercial buildings, schools, and workers' clubs. In one case, a provincial church was turned into a circus, and in Tiflis, the proceeds from the demolition of church bells were used to establish a menagerie.

Grant For Research

University Graduates To Investigate Weed Flavors In Milk

To provide for the continuance of research investigations into the problem of weed flavors in milk, the National Research Council of Canada has granted the University of British Columbia the sum of \$3,000. Miss Vivian Hudson and Duncan McKenna, graduates of the University, have been appointed assistants under the Council's grant to continue the milk studies which were started some few months ago.

For Sprains and Bruises—There is nothing better for sprains and contusions than Dr. Thomas' Electric Cream. It will reduce the swelling that follows a sprain, will cool the inflamed flesh and draw the pain. It will take the ache out of a bruise by counteracting the inflammation. A trial will convince any who doubt its power.

Good Speakers Nervous

Would Get Out Of Addressing Crowds If It Were Possible

Right Hon. Jan Christian Smuts was hero and leading statesman, during a memorable address in Toronto, said: "I have never learned in a long political life to shake off a certain nervous trepidation when I have to face my fellow-men in mass formation. And I am not sure that the political mass formation is not more terrifying than the military formation." No doubt many other public men could tell of similar feelings. The Hon. William Patterson, one of the best known campaign speakers in Canada, told a friend with whom he was discussing his political career, that despite his lengthy experience in addressing public gatherings, if at any meeting just before he arose, somebody had opened a door behind him he would have bolted through the portal.

Sign of Genius—The boy who wanted to work in a bank because there was money in it.

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Writes Mrs. W. Walter, Thousand Oaks, California: "My youngest son, aged 12, was afflicted with Constipation. He was nervous, hearty, and got a sleep from Constipation."

Where Canada Leads

Commissioner Quotes Dominion's Favorable Trade Record

Canada now leads all nations in favorable trade balance per head of population, according to a report issued by C. Price-Green, Commissioner of Natural Resources, for the Canadian National Railway.

The report says that Canada's exports amount to \$135 per capita, which is a third greater than the per capita exports of Great Britain, and nearly four times the per capita exports of the United States, and that a table recently compiled by the United States Bureau of Statistics shows that, taking a number of vital factors such as industrial production, employment, construction contracts, car loadings as a basis, the average per cent. increase in economic production in Canada is five times as great as that in the United States.

Mr. Price-Green's report adds that, before 1900, agriculture was the leading industry of Canada, with manufacturing two thirds as important. Today agriculture maintains a premier position, but the difference is rapidly decreasing because manufacturing has increased 600 per cent. since 1901, while agriculture has increased only 400 per cent.

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Canadian Steamships

New Canadian Government Ship Building Deal Is Rumored

The London Sunday News states that a large ship-building contract for a new Canadian Government line of passenger and cargo steamers may shortly be placed in Liverpool.

The newspaper stated contracts had already been invited for construction of a fleet of ships to run between Montreal and Cape Town and India.

Falling Hair

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W. N. U. 1823

Canada Is Largest Exporter Of Wheat In the World and Ranks Second In Production

In the comparatively short period of three-score years, Canada has emerged from an insignificant position in world production to that of the largest exporter of wheat, and ranks second (excluding the Russian Soviet Union), as a producer of wheat, raising, on an average, about ten per cent. of the total world production, only the United States exceeding Canada in this regard.

Wheat and flour were exported from the Dominion during the crop year 1928-29, to nearly 80 countries, the total amount being 354,424,099 bushels of wheat, and 11,868,775 barrels of flour. Total world exports of wheat and wheat flour, expressed in bushels of wheat, amounted to 1,602,429,000 bushels for the 12 months ended July 31, 1929, of which Canada contributed over 40 per cent.

The British Isles took 209,571,743 bushels of Canadian wheat and 2,637,867 barrels of flour, more than one-half of the total exported. Japan was the Dominion's next best customer of wheat with 22,700,487 bushels; the Netherlands were third with 22,121,680 bushels; Belgium fourth with 16,577,716 bushels; Italy fifth with 15,571,311 bushels, and Germany sixth with 14,693,724 bushels. The other purchasers of Canadian wheat are widely scattered throughout the world.

China was first in the list of consumers of flour with 3,040,667 barrels, surpassing the British Isles which took 2,637,867 barrels as above. Germany stood third with 1,097,289 barrels.

Flour produced from the crop of 1928, made a new record for the flour milling industry in Canada. During the crop year ended July 31 last, wheat ground in commercial flour mills totalled 94,705,316 bushels as compared with 86,842,296 bushels during the crop year 1927-28. This is an increase of over 7,860,000 bushels. Flour produced amounted to 20,303,252 barrels as compared with 18,510,384 barrels for the previous year. This increase amounted to 1,792,868 barrels of flour.

During the same period exports of wheat and flour amounted to 11,868,775 bushels, and 1,868,775 barrels respectively. The increase in exports was 1,945,021 bushels, or practically identical with the increase in flour production.

During the crop year 1928-29, Canada made new records in the production and export of wheat and in the manufacture of wheat flour. In addition to her position in the "wheat field," Canada produces nearly ten per cent. of the world's oats, and ranks eighth in these production, and fifth in that of butter.

Contests Canada's Claim

South Africa Says It Has World's Record Milk Producer

South Africa is contesting the claim made in a cable from Ottawa that a Canadian Holstein cow, "Teake Waldorf" is the world's record milk producer. South African claim an Orange Free State cow, "Butterfly," produced no less than 36,004 pounds of milk in 365 days, containing 1,254 pounds of butter. The yield is verified by an official government test. Furthermore, there are a number of other cows in South Africa which have surpassed "Teake Waldorf's" record. It is stated.

Industrial Manitoba

"General conditions in Winnipeg are extremely satisfactory and the outlook very promising," said President Edward Anderson, K.C., of the Winnipeg Electric Company. "Manitoba is fast becoming an industrial province; its industrial output in 1928, and to a greater degree in 1929, being larger than its agricultural output."



"Shall we escape from the dull company?"
"I can't. I am the boss."—Hummer, Hamburg.

W. N. U. 1929

Taking Safety Measures

Compensation Accidents Are Showing a Considerable Increase In Ontario

A New Year's resolution which we recommend to everyone may be summarized in the expression "Safety First." The advice is not new; it has been given frequently in many shapes, but the necessity for it remains. The Workmen's Compensation Board, of Ontario, for example, reports that during 1929, the accidents coming under its notice numbered 87,103, which was 7,705 more than in 1928, and that benefits awarded amounted to \$8,102,157, which was an increase of nearly \$1,000,000 over the previous year. These increases, both in number and in benefits are out of all proportion to the growth of population. Industries are not becoming more hazardous nor are there many new ones which, in their nature, make employees more liable to accident. We do not know the reasons for these increases, but it is evident that still more care must be taken in all the trades which come under the jurisdiction of the Workmen's Compensation Board. In other words of life the number of accidents is probably also increasing. One reason for this is the growing popularity of motor cars for both passenger and freight services. The streets are far more dangerous than they used to be, and it behooves all to exercise the greatest care in moving along or across them.

Another reason for the increase in accidents is the use of "Safety First," no one is properly open to the charge of teaching timidity. The fact is that bravado shows lack of common sense whether in trades or other occupations. In sports or in the simplest actions of life, to exercise a fair amount of caution should be a universal rule.—Mail and Empire.

Mechanizing the Farm

66,250 Tractors Now In Use in the Prairie Provinces

Though the popularity of "Old Dobbin," as the farm horse is affectionately known, continues to hold a prominent place on the farms of Canada, the "Iron Horse," or the mechanical farm implement, is advancing in popularity, particularly among farmers in the three Prairie Provinces—Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. There are, according to a recent estimate, a total of 66,250 tractors in operation on the 248,162 Canadian prairie farms, 14,557 of which were bought last year. In Manitoba there are 12,346; in Saskatchewan, 35,063; and in Alberta, 18,791 farm tractors.

The total of harvester-combines in use on the Prairies at the end of 1929, was 7,726, of which 3,296 were bought last year. In 1929 only 176 harvester-combines were sold. The following year the sales were 598. In 1929 they jumped to 3,857, an increase over the previous year of 611 per cent. Sales of threshers in the three Prairie Provinces last year totalled 2,095.

The Brandon Fair

Sixtieth Anniversary of Entry Into Confederation Will Be Commemorated This Year

Manitoba's sixtieth anniversary of her entry into the confederation will be made the outstanding feature of the provincial exhibition, at Brandon, this year. Directors of the fair have decided to further plans in this connection, and attractions which will add to the occasion are under review. It is probable that the exhibition will have several stand out attractions over and above the regular programme to be outlined for the association of western Canada exhibitions. An important item under discussion will be the completion of the racing programme for all western fairs. For the first time, all of the exhibitions have decided to feature only running events, and as a result they will be able to offer inducements to the gallopers and a better balanced programme than previously. The matter of midway shows contracts will also be decided on at the meeting.

English Unmoved

The Kansas City Star is at peace with all the world except the English who drive on the wrong side of the road, can't spell tires, call gasoline petrol, and call a radio set a wireless.

However, we doubt whether the English will be much moved in view of the fact that the editor of the Star drives on the wrong side of the road, can't spell tyres, calls petrol gas, and calls a wireless a radio set.

Shakespeare's income toward the end of his life was equal to \$25,000 a year in modern money.

Old Timer Retires



Back in 1882 when the Canadian Pacific Railway was pushing through the bush in Northern Ontario on its way across the continent, this old-time engine did a lot of good work and it was fired by James T. Fallon, who had joined the road three years previously. On the last day of 1929, Fallon, for over forty years an engineer, closed more than fifty years of railroad service. His picture is inset with that of the old locomotive, No. 222, sister to the one on which he worked as a youth.

Grain Elevators In Operation

Saskatchewan Has Four Thousand According To Recent Check

More than 4,000 grain elevators are now in operation in Saskatchewan, according to a check made by G. T. Thomson, who conducted the first inspection of such facilities, a new activity inaugurated as a preliminary to the operation of the new Workmen's Compensation Act. All the modern elevators were found to be provided with safety devices, the first report revealed, though some of the older ones were found to be in need of additional protection equipment.

The man who deals in sunshine. Is the man who gets the crowds. He does a lot more business Than the one who peddles clouds.

The saddest news of the week in the story of the ambitious youth who joined the Navy to see the world and spent four years in a submarine.

Canada Popular With Tourists

About Nine Million People From U.S. Visited Dominion Last Year

The growing popularity of Canada among tourists is indicated by the recent official estimate that about 9,000,000 persons from the United States visited the Dominion last year. Of this number 250,000 visited the national parks of Canada. Canada maintains 23 national parks and reserves located in different parts of the country with a total area of over 29,000 square miles. In these parks the outstanding natural beauties and wild life are presented. Hunting of game is forbidden and any visitor entering one of the parks or reserves with a gun must submit to having it sealed before entering.

"Prisoner, the jury finds you guilty."
"That's all right. Judge. I know you're too intelligent to be influenced by what they say."

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Regulations Governing Oil And Gas In Turner Valley Recommended By Commission

Sowing Discolored Wheat

Is Likely To Result In Decrease In Yield

The results of experiments carried on at the Dominion Laboratory of Plant Pathology, Saskatoon, indicate that it is a very serious practice to sow wheat that is discolored or abnormal. The germination of blackened kernels is anywhere from 10 to 60 per cent. below normal, and the plants which result from the ones which do germinate are very often weak and sickly in appearance, and die before maturity, resulting in a decrease in yield.

Judging from numerous samples of seed wheat sent to the laboratory from widely separated parts of Saskatchewan the percentage of discolored and blackened kernels is, in some cases, quite high. If the practice of sowing these is continued the results may, in time, become serious to successful wheat growing. By sowing such wheat, the farmer gives these fungi, which are carried by discolored kernels, a chance to become established in the soil, and when they live for years. It is very much easier and safer to eliminate the cause of the diseases of wheat by sowing the best seed obtainable, than to try to control the diseases when they are once established in the soil.

B.C. Shipping Trade

Remarkable Growth Is Shown In Figures Presented By Government

Increase in the shipping trade of British Columbia since the year 1876 is shown in a series of tables appearing in the British Columbia Manual of the B.C. Government through the Bureau of Provincial Information. The leading table shows that the deep-sea and coastwise tonnage of all British Columbia ports has jumped from 40,795, in 1876, to 49,325,919 in 1928. Deep-sea tonnage, in 1928, was 21,905,783, and coastwise tonnage 27,420,136. Another tabulation gives comparisons of the number of ships entering and leaving British Columbia ports. In 1914 there were 5,587 inward and 5,713 outward ships, and in 1928 there were 9,358 inward, and 9,468 outward ships in the sea-going class. The inward tonnage in 1914, was 5,250,397, and the outward 5,329,776.

Life-Size and Natural

Figures On Building In Montreal Looked Real To Reveler

There is a financial institution in Montreal which was built some years ago in the grand manner. High above its portals is a ledge on which are placed life-sized stone figures representing various legendary individuals. It so happens that construction work is being undertaken nearby, and the steam from an engine occasionally wreathes the adjoining building in smoky mist.

On the day before Christmas a reveler passing by looked up at the stone carvings, and no doubt confused by the clouds of steam which surrounded them, shouted loudly, "Don't jump, boys, the firemen will be here in a minute."—Financial Post.

Luck Is Only Secondary

Man Must Show Ability In Order To Succeed

(Mr. Snowden says that no man succeeds who never takes the opportunities offered him; and the unlucky man cannot be a successful man.) Can mere "luck" whatever it may be—make a man successful? It may float a pure mediocrity to great places and even apparent power. But if he is only a mediocrity he will not long retain the place, and he will never be able really to exercise the power. Has he then "succeeded"? Again, the successful man must take his opportunities; yes, but more often than not he must make them, too.

Canada's Progress Phenomenal Characterizing Canada's development during the twentieth century as relatively the most phenomenal the world has ever known, exceeding even the unprecedented development of the United States in the nineteenth century, Col. J. H. Woods, Calgary, president of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, delivered an inspiring address on the country's future development at a banquet of the Woodstock Board of Trade.

Aspirant: "May I count on your supporting me?"

Citizen: "Are you running for office, or do you want to marry my daughter?"

Adequate regulation of the production of oil and gas in Turner Valley is recommended by the conservation commission appointed last year by the Federal Government. The commission has reported to the government and the report has been made public. The members of the commission were Dr. Charles Camsell, deputy minister of mines; A. W. G. Wilson, Charles Ross, R. C. Wallace and A. A. Carpenter.

After pointing out that the wastage of gas in Turner Valley now approximates 200,000 cubic feet per day, was equal to 9,000 tons of high grade coal, the report states the position as follows:

"It is obvious that in the Turner Valley present operations are rapidly and wastefully dissipating a great natural resource only about 10 per cent. of which is usefully employed. This wastage takes place through the operations under license of about 40 producing companies. It is probable that the number of producers will be increased shortly and that the wastage of gas will be increased. Only about 30 per cent. of the gas is operated under government license, the mining right of about 70 per cent. having been alienated from the crown many years ago."

"These producers are primarily interested in obtaining as great a naphtha recovery as possible in as short a time as possible. No voluntary steps of conservation have been taken to curtail wastages or to prolong the lives of the wells. While it may be to the advantage of the individual producer to obtain quick returns from his investment, it is decidedly not in the national interest, nor is it in the ultimate interest of the producer himself to permit this rapid dissipation without utilization of a great national asset for the immediate benefit of a few."

In regard to a solution, the report recommends:

"The only solution which will make conservation possible is recognition of the fact that Turner Valley is a gas field and the formulation of rigid regulations for the purpose of controlling all phases of the gas producing industry. If existing legislation is not adequate to protect the public interest it should be redrafted to meet the situation. These regulations should be administered uniformly by one body representing both federal and provincial parliaments. This is the first and most important step to be taken. Other measures can only be palliative. This action is also a prime essential to the further development of the province on the presence of this gas supply in Alberta."

"Without regulation and without control of production, industries cannot be assured of an adequate supply gas over a period of time long enough to warrant essential capital investments. New supply is not only to investments in the new distributing pipe lines but also to investment in manufacturing industries using natural gas and to the development of industry based on chemical and metallurgical research. If adequate regulation is provided a limited industrial development will result."

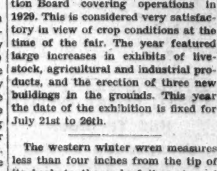
Saskatoon Exhibition Surplus

Date Of Exhibition For This Year Fixed For July 21 to 26

A surplus of \$10,667.23 is reported by the Saskatoon Industrial Exhibition Board covering operations in 1929. This is considered very satisfactory in view of crop conditions at the time of the fair. The year featured large increases in exhibits of livestock, agricultural and industrial products, and the erection of three new buildings in the grounds. This year the date of the exhibition is fixed for July 21st to 26th.

The western winter worn measures less than four inches from the tip of its beak to the end of its upturned tail.

Whales spout air from the lungs three to ten times, then run submerged for ten minutes or longer and repeat.



"Please I want a car to match this dress."—Lustige Kiste, Leipzig.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The department of national defence has ordered 18 new light aircraft for use in connection with training in the Royal Canadian Air Force, at a cost of \$85,000.

Most of 7,000 women employed on the clerical staff of the British civil service voted "no" in a ballot on the question of whether women ought to retain their jobs after marriage.

Overcome by poison gas as his sons were pulling him up a 75-foot well on his farm, near Raymore, Sask., Mike Grymalaski fell down the shaft and was dead when extricated later in the day.

The total cost of pensions in Ontario this year will be in the neighborhood of \$5,000,000, according to a statement made by Hon. Dr. Jamieson, chairman of the Old Age Pensions Board.

A total of 336,972 amateur radio receiving licenses were issued by the radio branch of the Department of Marine for the 1929-30 period up to the close of last year, according to figures made public. The total for the 1928-29 period was 284,926.

Formal request that the postmaster-general of Canada consider the early extension of the postal air mail service to Vancouver and other British Columbia points is contained in a resolution that has been unanimously adopted by the Vancouver city council.

Members of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association sailed from Halifax on the steamer "Lady Drake" to study the British West Indies regarding development of trade with Canada. The party will sail through the Indies as far as Demerara.

Toronto's general assessment has reached for the first time in the history of the city over one billion dollars and the population over six hundred thousand," said Assessment Commissioner W. G. Farley, in submitting his annual report to the city council.

Manitoba Fruit

Commercial Fruit Growing Now Placed On a Profitable Basis

Fruit growing on the plains of Manitoba is to be placed on a profitable basis, according to the marketing report tendered by Mrs. S. M. Loree, of Carman, Manitoba, at the annual convention of the United Farmers of Manitoba, recently. Prospective fruit growers will be afforded accurate statistics on the yields and hardness of crops. Demonstration orchards in various parts of the province were established some time ago, said Mrs. Loree, but the recognition work of the coming spring is expected to yield definite results. Apples, plums, strawberries, raspberries and currants are now produced commercially by about a dozen growers.

National Research Laboratories

Work on the new Canadian Government National Research Laboratories is about to start. The contract for the building has been let for \$2,774,000 and the work is to be completed in 14 months.

FAINT, DIZZY SPELLS

Had To Sleep

Propped Up In Bed

Mrs. Norman Bishop, Salisbury, N.B., writes: "I was troubled with faint and dizzy spells and when I would lie down I would suffer terribly with smothering spells. I got so bad I had to sleep propped up in bed. My doctor said it was my heart and nerves, and that I needed a good heart tonic."

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Important Factor In Airplane of Future

Manufacturers Turning Their Attention To Building Safer Machines

Much is expected of what has been popularly described as a "fool proof" aeroplane that has come into existence with an award of a prize of \$100,000 following an exhaustive series of tests at Mitchell Field, outside New York City. The conclusion of these tests and the awarding of the prize is held to mark another forward step of great importance in aviation. Quantity production of high-speed machines was the natural consequence of the solo flight of Charles Lindbergh, from New York to Paris, and it is only within a comparatively recent period that aeroplane manufacturers have turned their attention to the element of safety as an outstandingly important factor in the aeroplane of the future.

There has been no divulgence of the details of the performance of the winning machine beyond the fact that it has a minimum gliding speed of 38 miles an hour. That a machine can loaf along at what is a medium road rate for a motor car indicates what amazing advances have been made in the safety of aeroplane operation. And it may be assumed that once the aeroplane is so made that its operation is approximately as safe as the motor car, people will take to the sky in much larger numbers than at present.—Regina Daily Post.

Winnipeg Newspaper Union

(By Anabelle Worthington)



Child dressmaker details are smartly evident in printed sheer velvet tiered model in striking Independence blue color.

The swathed hip with crystal buckle emphasizes the higher waistline so important in the mode. The irregular closing of collarless neckline is unusually becoming. A buttoned applied trimming band holding jabot full, denotes new smartness.

Sleeves have darts below elbow. The circular tiers sway gracefully each time wearer moves. It proves that good taste is not expensive, for here is a Paris model that you can copy exactly at the cost of the fabric, and have the added advantage of choosing a flattering colour.

Design No. 3015 comes in sizes 16, 18 years, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust. It is exquisite in plain transparent velvet in dahlia purple for afternoon and informal evenings. Black crepe satin is dignified for all-day occasions. It is very effective of the dull surface with the tiers displaying the shiny surface.

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A Remarkable Exhibition

Paintings By Innates Of Mental Hospitals Seen In Paris

Art or madness? Few of the visitors to the Max Bine Gallery, in Paris, were able to tell, when they looked around the walls. Many of the pictures were scarcely distinguishable from the most imaginative work of present-day artists, while others showed such removal from the ordinary laws of composition as to belong in a class by themselves.

It was an exhibition of the works of lunatics, inmates of various insane asylums. Some of the exhibitors are classed as only mildly insane, while others at times reach the violent stage and have to be put in strait-jackets. Their art is a pastime with them, and their mental state is not due to their art.

It was one of the most extraordinary exhibitions ever held here. It was called "Artistic manifestations of the brain-sick" and was organized by Dr. A. Marie, alienist, the Marquis de Lamoignon and M. Bine. Artists and art lovers took a keen interest in studying the works.

The exhibition was intensely morbid, and what manifestations of mania and art were not made by the artists themselves, the organizers supplied in the form of photographs and engravings showing Bedlam at its worst, including German and other European mad houses and Middle Ages torture methods once applied against the insane.

One of the most fascinating works of art, as shown by the catalogue, was withdrawn from the exhibition at the last moment. It was an imaginative work of a three-toed mammal in a primeval forest swarming with life. Under the drawing the artist, now sane and holding an important position in public life, had written: "Where was I? On what planet?"

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

ORANGE OMELET

(Serves 4-6 Persons)

6 eggs.
2 tablespoons powdered sugar.
1/4 teaspoon salt.
1/4 tablespoon cornstarch.
2 teaspoons lemon juice.
1/2 cup orange juice.
Sliced oranges for garnishing.
Extra powdered sugar.

Separate egg yolks from whites. Mix together the sugar, salt, cornstarch, lemon and orange juice. Beat the egg yolks light and add this mixture to them. Beat the egg whites stiff and dry. Fold in the first mixture and turn into a well-oiled omelet pan. When done garnish with the sliced oranges sprinkled with the powdered sugar and serve.

CABBAGE STEWED BROWN

Stew onion chopped onion in a spoonful of soup fat and cook it with half spoonful of granulated sugar until golden brown. Add one glass of half vinegar and half water, a head of white cabbage shredded like noodles, after removing the stalk and thick veins, and some salt. Stew tightly covered for several hours, stirring frequently and occasionally adding some water or weak beef broth. The cabbage must be pleasantly piquant. It should taste sweet-sour, with golden brown and glossy. If desired, a little flour can be dusted over and mixed with it half hour before serving.

Saskatoon's Progress

All Evidences Point To Rapid Growth During Past Year

The City of Saskatoon made substantial progress during 1929. Its finances are in excellent shape. A larger proportion of current taxes have been paid than ever before, which includes taxes on forfeited properties and the net outstanding taxes amount to \$800,000, which is about \$1,000,000 less than in 1925. There was an increase of about 800 pupils in the schools. The electrical output increased about 30 per cent; the sale of city owned real estate amounted to \$130,000 and passengers carried on the street railway showed a gain of 15 per cent.

Never Give Up

When things go wrong, as they sometimes will, and the road you're treading seems all uphill, when the funds are low and the debts are high, and you want to smile but you have to sigh, when care is pressing you down a bit, rest if you must, but don't quit.

"It's no good of you, doctor, to have come this far to see my husband." "Not at all, madam, not at all. I have a patient next door and I thought I'd kill two birds with one stone."



A Valuable Discovery

Carbon Monoxide Menace Can Be Eliminated Claims Professor Of Chemistry

The announcement from Johns Hopkins University that a means has been discovered to eliminate carbon monoxide from motor exhausts comes at a moment when the health department of nearly every large city is concentrating on this problem. Health officials of New York City recently said analyses of the air in the city's streets, showing the carbon monoxide content, as a preliminary to some kind of a protective or remedial campaign.

Here and in other cities was the mounting record of hundreds of deaths annually, and authentic medical testimony that these accumulating poisons were fouling the air and endangering public health.

Dr. J. C. W. Fraser, Johns Hopkins professor of chemistry, discoverer of the method which makes a closed garage safe for democracy, has for many years been known as one of America's foremost authorities in the field of catalysis, and it was by the use of a catalyzer that he learned how to make carbon monoxide behave. A catalyzer, the chemists explain, is a manager and introducer which brings together about elements.

Carbon monoxide, issuing from a motor exhaust and occasionally killing somebody, needs just a touch of oxygen to become as harmless as a church window. This oxygen was available in the air, but wasn't even on speaking terms with carbon monoxide.

Dr. Fraser's catalyzer lured an atom of oxygen from the air, teamed it up with the carbon monoxide and the resulting carbon dioxide was safe for breathing. One may close the garage doors, turn on the engine, go to sleep under the car and live to tell the tale.

The catalyzer—and Dr. Fraser does not tell what it is—is like the old time bartender who never took a drink. It sets up new chemical equations, but never takes any part in them.

Suggests Out-Door Museum

Would Be Attraction In Western Canada To Tourists

An out-door museum extending along the right-of-way of railway lines in Western Canada in which concrete casts of the skeletons of dinosaurs, mammoths and mastodons would stand has been suggested by J. M. Macdonald, secretary of the National Museum staff, Ottawa. The creation of such an out-door museum would serve as a monument to strange beasts which roamed parts of Canada millions of years ago, the official thinks and would, besides, be unique as an attraction to tourists travelling the railways.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

FEBRUARY 9

WARNING AND PROMISES

Golden Text: "Every tree that bringeth not forth good fruit is hewn down, and cast into the fire." Matthew 7:19.

Lesson: Matthew 7:1-29.

Devotional Reading: Proverbs 2:1-8.

Explanations and Comments

The Golden Rule, verse 12.—All things therefore whatsoever ye would that men should do unto you, even so do ye also unto them. The context shows the meaning of the "therefore," since God is so good to us, we must be good to others. "With these words Jesus closes up the teaching of these chapters," said Martin Luther, "and ties them all up in a little bundle." For this is the law and the prophets: the two collections into which the Jewish writings were divided. "Perhaps to a certain extent this was a current phrase, equalled all that was necessary; but, no doubt, seriously meant; therefore it may help us to understand the statement in verse 17, 'I came not to destroy, but to fulfil.' The Golden Rule is—Law and Prophets only in an ideal sense, and in the same sense only was Christ a Fulfiller."

Distinguishing False From True Leaders, verses 15-23.—Beware of false prophets, warned the Master. They come to you in sheep's clothing, disguised as honest teachers, but inwardly they are ravening wolves, rapacious workers of evil. The lamb or sheep was the symbol of innocence and harmlessness; the wolf, of all sorts of evil. "It was a time of religious excitement; the force of custom broken; the old order of the soul bursting forth; witness the crowds who followed John and Jesus, and the shouting saying about the Kingdom of Heaven suffering violence (Matt. 11:12). Such times call for true prophets, who are Law and Prophets, in religious sympathy with prevalent enthusiasms, but bent on utilising them to the good of the world, in the influence, men of the Judas type."—A. B. Bruce.

How shall the imposters be recognized? By their fruits, said Jesus. Character is revealed by conduct.

Thousands Pay Radio License

Prarie Provinces Are Well Up In Number Of Owners

For the first time since radio broadcasting commenced, more than 300,000 owners of receiving sets in Canada have paid the annual license fee of \$1 this year. Of these just half are located in Ontario and over 40,000 are in Toronto. Not all the people who own radio sets pay the dollar, in fact, it is known thousands dodge the tax. By provinces the number of licensed receiving sets is now as follows: Ontario, 146,662; Quebec, 49,760; Prince Edward Island, 509; Nova Scotia, 8,883; New Brunswick, 6,141; Manitoba, 18,728; Saskatchewan, 22,467; Alberta, 14,332; British Columbia, 25,981.

Use Minard's for Neuralgia.

The letters of the English alphabet are about 2,500 years old. They have developed gradually from ancient picture signs like the Egyptian hieroglyphs.

Shark's teeth are used for money in some of the Pacific Islands; while in China they are mounted in gold to form attractive ornaments.



Returns From Extended Tour

Sir John Aird Expresses Views On World Markets

Sir John Aird, president of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, and envoy to the Pacific relations conference, has returned after a four months' trip to Egypt, the Orient, France and Great Britain. He remarked sacrifices must be made by all the component parts of the British empire if the goal of intra-empire trade is to be realized. Trade between the Orient and Canada should be greatly stimulated and would be equally beneficial as a result of the Pacific relations conference. China and Japan were near an amicable understanding of their difficulties in Manchuria, Great Britain must retain a great commercial fleet, these were some of the convictions expressed by Sir John on his arrival at Toronto.

"Trade between Canada, Japan and China has been growing steadily for the past few years," he said. "The result has been mutually beneficial. Japan is regarded highly as a wheat consuming country and our produce is regarded highly in both Japan and China. Japan is also a good market for machinery and clothing."

Honor Canadian Author

Tablet In Memory Of Arthur Hunt Chute Unveiled

"That Canada may remember Arthur Hunt Chute, author, soldier, gentleman, who gave the Canada of his day a realization of its heritage and a vision of its empire of the north. On September 22, 1929, he was killed flying northward."

The above is the tribute appearing on a bronze tablet presented to Acadia University, Nova Scotia, by Toronto editors in memory of Arthur Hunt Chute, who was killed when the plane in which he was making a trip through the north crashed in Lake Manitoba. The tablet was unveiled by R. Napier Moore, Toronto magazine editor.

May Create New Market

Should a trial ton shipment of British Columbia certified potatoes arrive satisfactorily to Buenos Aires and give good results, a big market for this province's certified seed potatoes will be obtained in South America, a quotation on 800 tons of certified seed of the Burbank variety having already been received.



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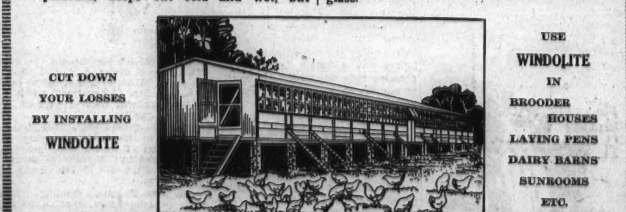
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REQUEST OTTAWA TO ASSIST WITH RELIEF MEASURES

Winnipeg. — The government of Canada will be approached by a delegation from western Canada, seeking cessation of unemployment difficulties. It was decided at the closing session of a two-day parley representative of cities, provinces and municipalities in the west. Among the delegation's requests will be formation of a scheme of unemployment insurance and legislation by the Dominion Government to bear a share of unemployment relief expenditures.

An inter-provincial and Dominion conference should be called at the earliest possible moment for consideration of some Dominion-wide scheme of unemployment insurance, the conference decided. It was pointed out that a Dominion commission had approved the scheme, but that law officers of the Crown had opined that under the British North America Act the Dominion Government cannot inaugurate such a plan.

In the opinion of the meeting, the Dominion should bear one-third of unemployment relief costs, on the basis of agreements entered into in 1921 and 1922, and confirmed in 1924; provinces and municipalities, or cities would divide equally the other two-thirds. The Dominion administration has contended that their stand was based on the agreement of 1927, by which unemployment was labelled a provincial matter, but the conference held that the 1927 situation was not parallel to that now existing.

Every city from Lake Superior to the Pacific coast was represented, and government delegates to the parley attended from British Columbia, Saskatchewan and Manitoba. Unable to send a representative, due to the opening of the Alberta legislature, Premier J. E. Brownlee telegraphed to the conference that Alberta would support the meeting's decision. The Dominion Government was not represented, but Hon. Peter Heman, Minister of Labor, stated that he would bring the conference's requests before the entire cabinet.

Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King has stated that the Dominion Government would be prepared to consider the unemployment question, with a view to remedial measures, if the provinces of Canada join together in admitting they are unable to cope with the problem. Delegates will return to their respective areas and ask the bodies they represent to agree that emissaries be sent to Ottawa. The delegates will then notify Mayor Ralph H. Webb, Winnipeg, of their intention and he will set the date of the pilgrimage to the capital. Governments of the four prairie provinces, as well as of Ontario, will be requested to despatch representatives as members of the delegation.

Wheat Pool Conference In London, England

Canadian Pool Representatives Meet Rt. Hon. J. H. Thomas, Lord Privy Seal

London, Eng.—Preliminary discussions in which the threats of the conference of Winnipeg, last year, were taken up, was heard recently between Rt. Hon. J. H. Thomas, Lord Privy Seal, and representatives of the Canadian Wheat Pool, on the question of regulation of Canadian grain exports to Britain and establishment of grain elevator in this country. A. J. McPhail, of Regina, pool president; W. A. McLeod, of Winnipeg, publicity director, and D. R. McGlynn, eastern sales manager, attended.

The meeting was in Mr. Thomas' room in the Parliament Buildings.

Extradition Not Warranted
Los Angeles.—W. R. Mackay, arrested here recently at the request of Canadian authorities for alleged illegal transportation of machine guns across the Canada-United States border, has been released by the United States commissioner's office. The commissioner ruled that Canadian authorities had not established sufficient cause for extradition of Mackay. He was sought at Vancouver.

Prince Studying South Africa
Cape Town, South Africa.—Notwithstanding the fact that during his stay in Cape Town, the Prince of Wales is spending the nearest thing to complete holiday that he has enjoyed in years, he is devoting considerable time to increasing his knowledge of South Africa, her main interest and problems.

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Great Future For Canada

Sir Esme Howard Refers To Dominion's Envisable Position
Ottawa.—A suggestion whereby Canadian trade may be enlarged with the West Indies, a tribute to Hon. Vincent Massey, Canadian minister at Washington, and an expression of confidence in the future of this country were the features of an address delivered before the Canadian Club here by Sir Esme Howard, British ambassador to the United States.

With regard to the Canadian mind-set at Washington, the British ambassador said that from the day Mr. Massey was appointed to this there had never been a shadow of any sort between them.

"We have discussed matters of common interest and matters of all kinds so freely that we have become friends and almost as brothers. But I should like to say this, that the establishment of the Canadian legation at Washington, so far from creating difficulties for the conduct of the affairs of our British Commonwealth, as some persons supposed, has on the contrary been a real help and assistance in the conduct of those affairs in the United States."

Expanding his theme on Anglo-American relations, Sir Esme pointed out Canada's enviable position in having on its frontiers no hostile neighbor.

"Some think that the north-geographical situation of Canada is a drawback," he said. "But I don't feel so sure about that because it ensures you for ever from the danger of the problem of mixed races, which is a most serious one in southern countries; and it ensures you also from the relaxation of mind and muscle which often is the result of too constant contact with the sun god. You are endowed with thousands and thousands of square miles of fertile plains, vast millions of horsepower of electricity waiting to be harnessed, with lumber and wood pulp almost incalculable, and lastly with a wealth of mineral deposits which have yet only just been scratched. You have all this and you have also the unspeakable blessing of political security without fear from attack from without."

"Who are your neighbors? On one side the North Pole, whose bears are not likely to prove a danger to this estate; and on the other side a great and friendly country, with whom you have had for over a century an arrangement by which armaments were laid aside and the frontier line was left almost as free from defences as those between one state and another of the United States."

Authorities Firm On Mennonite Question

Canada Will Not Permit Entry During Winter Months

Ottawa, Ont.—The attitude of the Canadian authorities with regard to the admission into Canada of the 6,000 distressed Mennonites from Germany is unaltered, and no permission will be given to bring them to this country during the winter months. This was stated by officers of the immigration department here. In the spring the department will give consideration to the case of these Mennonites, but no special privileges will be extended to them. Any action taken will be in conformity with the immigration laws and will be governed by the agricultural requirements of Canada then.

Motorist Was Rewarded

Ottawa, Ont.—Wilfrid Lebel, young Ottawa motorist, brought a party of skiers home from the Gatineau Hills when their car broke down on Sunday. He was surprised when members of the party asked to be dropped off at Government House. He went home and forgot about it until he received a letter of thanks from Her Excellency Viscountess Willingdon, accompanied by a handsome bouquet.

Pictures Are Proof

Toronto.—Helg's Borup, a young Dane, who in three years became a successful farmer in Northern Ontario, has left to spend a holiday in the land of his birth, and in his baggage will be 5,000 feet of film which he will show in many parts of Denmark as pictorial proof that spendid opportunities exist for those who are not afraid to play the part of pioneer.

To Speak Over Radio

London, England.—Lady Astor, Conservative member of the House of Commons, will broadcast over radio to Canada and the United States within about a week. Her address will be designed primarily for women and will urge them to continue their efforts for world peace.

Copy Was Clever Forgery

Expert Investigated So-Called Draft Of U.S. Declaration Of Independence

Toronto.—Faint pencil marks discovered by a hand-writing expert left no doubt that the so-called draft copy of the United States Declaration of Independence, now in Toronto, was a hoax, says the Mail and Empire in a news story.

"One of the cleverest forgeries ever committed," said the expert when he had completed his investigation. A powerful magnifying glass brought into evidence lead pencil markings about the strokes of the writing, says the paper. These markings indicated, the expert said, that the signature had been carefully drawn then inked in.

MAY EFFECT BIG REDUCTION IN NAVAL STRENGTH

London, Eng.—Rt. Hon. A. V. Alexander, first lord of the admiralty, told the House of Commons that Great Britain's cruiser strength in naval estimates for the next ten years would depend on the results of the Five Power Naval Conference.

"If there is an increase or decrease for the next two five-year periods of the naval estimates would result from fixing the number of cruisers at fifty," he replied. "There are at present 54 British cruisers built, and four others in an advanced stage of construction."

"The effect on the British estimates of fixing the total at fifty cruisers depends on the size of the cruisers laid down and the type of the cruisers built to replace those that become obsolete."

"The decision on these questions depends on the conclusions of the naval conference."

According to figures that Mr. Alexander gave to another questioner, the saving in the British naval estimates for the next six years would aggregate more than \$25,000,000, if replacements of battleships as provided in article 20 of the Washington Treaty were deferred until 1936.

Mr. Alexander also told a questioner that decision as to proceeding with the three submarines remaining on the British 1929 naval program would be taken after the London conference had been concluded. The program originally provided for six submarines but three of these were later cut out.

The recent cancellation of two British cruisers was of no material significance, Mr. Alexander told a questioner who asked the reason for the abandonment and the effect of the decision on the unemployment situation.

"The suspension of work on these ships," he said, "was decided upon by the Government on July 1st, for reasons of high policy fully set out in a statement the prime minister made in the House of Commons, Jan. 14. As very little work had been done on the ships on that date the recent decision to regard them as cancelled is of no material significance and was taken in connection with the framing of the navy estimates."

The first lord of the admiralty said it had not been necessary to reduce dockyard employment in consequence of stopping work on these and other ships.

"JAMAICA SUGAR"



They say that little girls are made of sugar and spice and all that's nice. This can truly be said of this little picanniny because she belongs to the West Indies, where spice and sugar grow. Perhaps she is a little shy because the lady who took such a fancy to her was a very distinguished visitor to her home island. Both Her Excellency Lady Willingdon, and the Viscountess Willingdon, Governor-General of Canada, were highly delighted with their cruise through the Spanish Main. This photograph was taken on board the Canadian National Steamship "Lady Bona."—Canadian National Railways Photograph.

WILL LEAD PROGRESSIVE GROUP

Manitoba Beekkeepers Meet In Winnipeg



H. C. Nixon, who has been selected to lead the Progressive group in the Ontario House during the coming session.

Manitoba Beekkeepers

Meet In Winnipeg

Delegates Discuss Betterment Of Conditions Which Are, Already Excellent

Winnipeg.—Manitoba bee keepers in the 23rd annual convention at the Royal Alexandra Hotel, discussed ways and means of bettering the already excellent conditions under which this province holds a three-year record in the Dominion for first grade granulated and extracted honey. The report of the secretary, L. T. Floyd, gives Manitoba's entire crop estimate at 6,899,339 pounds of honey, with an average of 144 pounds per colony. There are 2,856 apiaries and the spring and fall count of colonies rates at 47,295 and 42,700, respectively. W. D. Wright, of Souris, Manitoba, representing the district west and south of Brandon, from whence the finest grades come, was congratulated upon winning Dominion sweepstakes this year with practically all the prizes in the classes mentioned during the last three years.

Roy Mullen, of Myrtle, was another outstanding beekkeeper, having obtained 26,000 pounds from 100 colonies of bees.

Farm Home Destroyed

Father and Daughter Die From Burns Received In Fire

Kerrobert, Sask.—Burned terribly from peck to knees on both the front and the back of his body, through his heroic efforts to save his children, Lester Matters, Tramping Lake farmer, died in the Kerrobert hospital. He had been there for 24 hours, in intense pain.

His injuries were received when fire practically destroyed his house following an early morning kerosene explosion, nine miles west of Tramping Lake. He and three children sustained burns in the explosion, one little girl, Nellie, aged 14 years, having succumbed to her injuries shortly after admittance to the hospital.

Suggests Help For Byrd

New York, N.Y.—Dr. Howard T. Barnes, of McGill University, has suggested that chemicals might be used to hasten the break-up of the South Polar ice pack if Admiral Byrd desired it. The work would be done, Prof. Barnes said, by forcing one vital break in the pack at the key point and the manoeuvring an actual shifting of the ice mass.

Canadian Scouts Contingent

Governor-General Willingdon Thanks All Those Who Helped To Make Jamboree a Success

Ottawa, Ont.—Success of the Canadian Scouts' contingent who took part in last year's jamboree, in England, was due in large measure to the generous help of Canadians, said the chief scout for Canada, His Excellency the Governor-General.

"To the generous subscribers in all parts of Canada to the special fund I personally raised for this purpose," said Viscount Willingdon, "I wish to express very grateful thanks, and also to the various individuals who subscribed sums for individual boys, which largely increased the numbers of our contingent. I wish to thank, too, all members of the executive of the association here at headquarters, for their loyal, devoted work, very particularly the executive committee, of whom, under the chairmanship of Colonel Snow, made all the arrangements for this undertaking."

UNEMPLOYMENT ASSOCIATED WITH POOL POLICY

Winnipeg, Man.—The Canadian wheat pool's policy of holding wheat for higher prices has helped to create the serious unemployment situation as it exists in Canada, Mayor Ralph H. Webb, of Winnipeg, stated recently. His comment made at the western conference on unemployment from the presiding chair, drew pronounced opposition from several delegates.

"I have not attacked the wheat pool—in any shape or form," contended Mr. Webb in answer to criticism of his stand. "I am commenting only on the pool's present policy which the pool has a perfect right to practice. I hope it proves to be right."

"Hundreds of thousands of men have been laid off by the railways as a result of the pool's holding policy," estimated the Winnipeg mayor in his first resume of the unemployment situation. He mentioned that the facts that the 1928 crop was not yet paid for, and payments on the 1929 crop were yet to come, as additional items tending to cause unemployment.

Canada should turn an eye to the United States, where "holding policies" have been directed in vain for the past several years, Mr. Webb believed. He mentioned futile efforts of the United States to hold up Britain on beef, oil, cotton, rubber and tobacco, and resultant British moves to develop other resources.

Australia and the Argentine have quadrupled their wheat yields within nine and seven years respectively, the mayor held; Manchuria was producing 24,000,000 bushels where no wheat was grown six years ago; India had doubled her wheat yield in six years. Italy and France, the former never a wheat-producing country, "were now meeting almost all domestic requirements, he said, and Germany—over an importer, was now exporting wheat to Britain."

Subsidized grain-growing, with 4,000,000 or 5,000,000 acres, put into new production in Britain, would be the result of bucking the British, Mr. Webb forecast.

"We may find that the government has had a lot to do with the present policy," stated Mr. Webb, referring to the wheat pool's stand, "and that may not bear very close investigation."

Mayor John W. Hair, of Saskatoon, immediately disassociated himself from the "attack on the wheat pool" made by Mayor Webb.

He mentioned that Saskatoon is proud of being the centre of Canada's greatest pool province and mentioned that he considered the wheat pool has done far more to create employment than to cause unemployment.

Strong protest against Mayor Webb's statements came from Ben Lewis, of Stonewall, Man., a director of the United Farmers of Manitoba. "These co-operative organizations came into existence through necessity," stated Mr. Lewis. "The farmers refused to produce grain at a loss, and insisted on a living wage. It is because agriculture is in such a low state that the whole country is suffering. Politicians come out into the west, talking of prosperity, while the very causes of the prosperity—the farmers—are almost poverty stricken."

Almost unanimously, at the opening of a western "jobless parley" called in Winnipeg, they stressed the gravity of present conditions, forecast early aggravation of the situation, and opined that the Dominion Government should aid in unemployment relief.

MOVE MADE TO CHECK UP ON STOCK BROKERS

Winnipeg.—Across the prairie has sounded repercussions of the arrest of 10 Toronto brokers on charges of conspiracy to defraud. In Manitoba, Alberta and British Columbia, developments occurred in the move to check up on brokerage house activities throughout the Dominion.

Manitoba took the most drastic action of the day in the West, attacking bank accounts of unnamed brokers and adding to the list of companies under survey by provincially-appointed auditors. Early in January, the Manitoba Government initiated an audit in the Winnipeg office of Stobie Forlong-Matthews, Limited, 301 Solloway, Mills and Company, Ltd.

Voluntary action was taken, it was pointed out, because of the uncertainty which at present exists in the stock brokerage trade, and, because present there was no means of ascertaining the exact status of affairs.

Attorney-General W. J. Major, K.C., refused to name the firms whose bank accounts had been tied up at the order of the municipal and public utility commission, and would not state into what new offices auditors had been ordered. As yet, no action has been brought against any Winnipeg firm or branch by provincial authorities.

At Vancouver, following a special meeting of members of the Stock Exchange, an order was issued to Solloway-Mills and Company, Ltd., Stobie, Forlong-Matthews, Ltd., to cease from trading on the local market.

Traders for Solloway-Mills were withdrawn by the company from the floor of the Calgary Stock Exchange. It was denied that any suspension had been ordered, and affirmed that the move had been voluntary.

Attorney-generals of the western provinces are unanimous in their willingness to co-operate toward joint action by various provinces of the Dominion looking to uniformity in legislation. British Columbia, Alberta and Manitoba, have agreed to attend a national conference when and if it is called. Saskatchewan, though in accord with the idea, will not be able to attend a parley, owing to the coming session of the legislature.

At Calgary, Isaac W. Solloway and Harvey Mills, heads of the Solloway-Mills organization, in police court appear at preliminary hearings on five charges of fraud and conspiracy.

World Grain Show

Manitoba Agricultural Societies Urged To Take An Interest In Big Event

Winnipeg, Man.—An appeal to all societies to arrange to attend for representation at the World Grain Show, at Regina, in 1932, was made by J. H. Evans, deputy minister of agriculture, at a national conference when and if it is called. Saskatchewan, though in accord with the idea, will not be able to attend a parley, owing to the coming session of the legislature.

Every society in Manitoba should be represented at the show, said Mr. Evans. He rejoiced at the interest manifested by junior seed growers in the production of better seed.

Endurance Test a Success

British Dirigible In Air For Fifty-Three Hours

Cardington, Eng.—The dirigible R-100 returned to her home port after a successful endurance flight lasting 53 hours.

The giant airship during that time flew a zigzag course over the southern part of England, crossed the channel to the Scilly Islands, flew back over Plymouth, the Isle of Wight, Dover, the Southeast coast ports and once again over London. She started in misty weather and arrived home in a mist.

B.C. Honors Pioneer Women

Victoria.—The legislature of British Columbia, in its opening ceremonies paid tribute to the pioneer women of the province, who had helped lay the foundations of Canada on the Pacific. A dozen pioneer women occupied seats on the floor of the House, and received tributes on behalf of those they represented, the government and opposition.

Another Royal Wedding

Vienna.—Dispatches from Bucharest say that the wedding of Princess Elena, daughter of Dowager Queen Marie, to Count Alexander, of Fiesch, has been fixed for the second half of February.

How the North Develops

Estiville Mining Town Of Le Pas Now Becomes a Hay and Fish Centre

The Pas, in Northern Manitoba, once known as a trading post, then a frontier town, a lumber camp and a mining town, is now becoming known as a hay and fish centre. It all came about with the dry season on the prairie last year and the completion of the Ft. Flon railway and other lines to the north. The farmers wanted hay on the prairies and they started taking it out by the trainload. That was a new start for the hay industry. Three hundred of fishermen swelled the numbers that went up the new steel lines to tap new lakes. That meant a big boost for the fishing industry.

All went as merry as a marriage bell for awhile, and then came groans of discontent. Now it is argued that the fish are going in carloads to Chicago; that the lakes will be depleted and the north will be no better off.

A new industry, or one that is coming into its own, naturally suffers growing pains. That's about all there seems to be in the arguments against the increase of output in the north this year.

A survey shows that while Chicago eats the fish, the north gets the money to spend. And those in the business claim that the fish industry is a self-sustaining business in which Manitoba, provides practically everything necessary to the industry and her people get the cash.

There is a fish box factory in The Pas where the merry hum of the saws may be heard all day. Local boxmakers are using the fish boxes. The boats used on the nets are made from cedar from southern Manitoba.

The leads for the nets come from Winnipeg. The nets are of Irish linen made in Scotland, for the most part, although some come from Chicago.

The hay for the teams hauling fish comes from the Carrot River Valley, adjacent to The Pas. This area comes from farmers around Swan River.

Much of the money paid out for fish in the south goes into wages for teamsters who haul the fish, the fishermen themselves, the wages of railroaders who live in this country, and those trains haul the cars. The local stores sell fishermen's supplies and outfits.

That the industry is growing and is pushing northward as an all-Canadian project is shown by the fact that already one fish firm, that of Norman Brothers, on Beaver Lake, have set up their own portable sawmill near their camp and are making their own fish boxes on the spot.

One fish man figures that out of every ten cents' worth of fish caught in the north, seven cents is spent in the district. He states further that being a self-contained industry, it is one that helps, and will continue to help, make Canada's trade balance better to look at, and further, that so long as a policy of conservation is maintained there will be no depletion.

What a Dreamer Accomplished

Discoverer Of Marquis Wheat Made Dream a Reality

In the Johns Hopkins University Magazine is an account of what Charles E. Saunders has done to "push back the frozen circle of the Arctic Pole." He is described as a "poetic dreamer," yet in one year 20,000,000 acres in Canada and the United States were sown in Marquis wheat. At the price at which the estimated product was sold in that year the total crop was valued at \$2,000,000,000. The narrow strip of "habitable Canada," stretching across the continent, has become "several hundred miles broader" as the result of the studies made by a "dreamer" on an experimental farm—New York Times.

"What must one do to have beautiful hands?"
"Nothing."

There are lots of human beings who can't stay up long without refuelling.



"Yes, all except the cigars, and they simply would not burn."—Nagels Lustig Welt, Berlin.

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Finds Deceit Was Costly

Wrong Age Given Years Ago Holds Up Pension

Fifty years ago a coy young thing archly and perhaps pretentiously asked about her age. Today, as a result of her youthful vanity, a little old lady is having difficulty in obtaining an old age pension. It was somewhere in the '90's that the census-taker called upon a small Ontario town. To one young woman who answered the door the thought of prying neighbors who might beguile the census-taker into revealing confidences was stronger than a desire for veracity. And then the harm was done.

A few weeks ago her application came in to the old age pension board, at Toronto. In it her age was given as over 70. But a review of back census-told a different story. The little old lady was sent for, she arrived, and, according to the official who interviewed her, looked all the years she claimed, and more. With her came her son of 63.

And so the pension board is considering the evidence of her son rather than the census-taker. After all, feminine vanity is not an unknown quality.

This is but one of the many incidents that bring understanding smiles to the faces of members of the old age pension board at the Parliament buildings. Hon. David Milne, chairman of the board, states that they have dealt with over 21,000 applications, and last month sent out over 19,000 cheques.

Did Not Miss Bow Bells

But London Will Soon Hear Famous Chimes Again

After years of silence, Bow Bells are going to ring again. The Corporation of the City of London, has made a grant of a thousand guineas (\$6,250), to the rector and church wardens of St. Mary-le-Bow, for repairs to the church, which will include the refitting of the bells. Though they have been out of repair for some years, because of the city noise, London didn't notice that they hadn't been ringing till they were told.

The silence of the bells is a serious matter for London, as, according to tradition, a Cockney is one who is born within the sound of Bow Bells. The inference is that as long as the bells don't ring, no Cockneys are being born. And London without Cockneys would not be London.

In the nursery rhyme the "great bell of Bow" says, "I'm sure I don't know," but legend has it that they were the same bells which said, "Turn again," to Dick Whittington, who thereupon returned, with his cat, became rich and Lord Mayor of London.

Spring Silhouette Adapted To Youth

Early Spring Fashion Lines Yet Unkind To Stout Figures

The spring silhouette is long, the tendency is to leave the waistline to an almost abnormal level, as apparent in the Winter Collections, having come to a speedy end, writes Soffield, Paris correspondent of "Mayfair," in forecasting spring models in the latest issue of that magazine. "Waists, on the whole have dropped back to the almost long effect, although on many dresses a belt still defines the normal waistline slightly above the hips. Evening dresses, closely moulded to the figure, spring with much fullness below an almost low waistline. There is a preference for flat, almost draped, hiplines for afternoon and evening wear; and in some cases models carried out in the sheath manner are to be seen. Even walking and sports dresses are made with a series of pin-point gathers across the hips. Briefly, the spring silhouette is adapted essentially to youthful contours and will still be unkind to women inclined to stoutness."

Will Be Important Document

Viscount Escher, 77, who was for many years one of the most noted and influential of British peers, died suddenly in London, Eng. His left war diary in the custody of the British museum to be kept sealed until 1981. Since the viscount was closely associated with royalty, and was representative in France of Lord Kitchener, when the latter ruled the war office, his diary one day is expected to furnish most important historical material.

Where Flowers Are Blooming

Orchards and farming land in the Okanagan Valley, B.C., which went into winter very dry, have benefited since by moisture from melting snow, which drew out the small amount of frost that was in the ground. Flowers are blooming at Pechelland, B.C.

"I've just been wondering whether that surgeon I've employed to operate on me is a good one."
"Dunno." He's been on the stock market lately, I hear."

PURE BRED STOCK FOR ANTIPODES



The Aberdeen-Angus bull, "Eloet of Page," pictured, is one of a shipment of 20 head of pure-bred bulls and heifers sent to the Antipodes recently from the famous Glencairn Farm, of His Honor Lieutenant-Governor J. D. McGregor, of Manitoba. The stock, which represented thousands of dollars, was imported for the improvement of breeding strains in New Zealand and Australia, and was shipped from Brandon over Canadian Pacific lines to Vancouver, to be loaded aboard the Australian boat.

Music and Musicians

Finest Orchestra Will Often Murder Piece They Do Not Like

It is wonderful to hear some very fine orchestras render beautifully many compositions; then it is surprising and peculiar to hear the very same orchestra play other musical compositions and really sometimes murder them. But the truth of the matter is this—Musicians have their taste in music the same as one has in foods or their likes and dislikes of everything in the world. As soon as a bunch of musicians are handed a piece to play—if the musician like that number, they play it like nobody's business, but God help the piece of music that is given them by a piece and which they do not like. The musician must put his heart and soul into the music he draws from his instrument. If he doesn't like the composition he cannot do it. To have a piece played really successfully must have the one hundred per cent. admiration of every man in the orchestra, and if there should be dissension of only a few, it makes all the difference in the world.

Profitable Tourist Trade

An estimated total of 4,000,000 tourists crossed the border from the United States into Canada during 1928, breaking all previous records in this connection. It is reported by the Department of National Revenue. On the basis that each tourist spent about \$75 while on the Canadian side, this would represent a total of \$300,000,000.

Regina Building Permits

Regina building permits for the year 1929, cleared the \$10,000,000 hurdle by a small fraction, the total being \$10,022,631, as compared with \$6,619,290 for 1928.

Train Wins Race for Life



The speed of a modern railway engine was pitted against death in a race for the life of two-and-a-half-year-old Delphis Moran, Sudbury boy who lay dying of intestinal infestation. A special Canadian Pacific Railway train, rushed the sick child from Sudbury to Toronto in five and a half hours, and a hospital and specialists were reached in time for a blood transfusion to save his life. The train was given the right-of-way over all other trains, and with the co-operation of all officials and employees of the Company, was able to clip two and a half hours off the regular schedule.

Consolidates Canada's Position

Airplane Has Brought Northern Outposts Within Easy Reach

The first air mail flight to Akivik and return was completed recently when two aeroplanes dropped on to an aerodrome in Edmonton, which they had left just a month previously. Mail had been carried 2,000 miles into the Arctic circle; dwellers on the outer fringes of the Northwest territories had been brought into touch with civilization with the reception of Christmas presents posted two weeks before their arrival.

The significance of the occurrence is liable to be underestimated unless thought is given to the immensity of the undertaking. In the first place such a trip was the first of its kind to be made in history. Again, without the medium of flight a return visit to the Arctic circle in mid winter would have been impossible.

But the major factor lies in the realization of the proximity of Canada's northern territory when viewed in the light of aerial transportation. Much has been said regarding the potentialities of the aeroplane, but the flight to Akivik focuses the possibilities which are afforded in Canada in clear perspective.

The northland is capable of development solely in proportion to its accessibility. Though it may be many years before it is feasible to lay steel in various parts of the north, the aeroplanes have brought that area into tangible and commercial proximity to the industrial centres of Canada.

Lines of communication are the strength of an army's outposts and the aeroplane has consolidated immeasurably Canada's position.—Financial Post.

Hatching Dates On Egg Production

Early Hatched Birds Show Greater Egg Production

The dates on which chicks are hatched are believed to have some influence on their production of eggs as hens the following autumn. A project to study this question was undertaken at the Summerland, B.C. Experiment Station, of the Department of Agriculture. It was found that the eggs from each bird of the March hatch returned approximately thirty cents more than each bird of the April hatch, and fifty-two cents more than each bird hatched at the end of April. Late hatched birds, however, have been shown to have an advantage in the second season, although not enough to make up for the loss the first year. According to the superintendent of the station, when once the birds settle down to work they gained a little each month on the early hatched birds with one or two exceptions.

A January Love Song

(Detroit Saturday Night)

I love the bitter, biting cold,
I love the snow and sleet;
I love the ice that makes it nice
For traffic on the street.
I love to fix the furnace fire
And toss the coal about,
And once a week it's so unique
To take the ashes out.
I love my heavy overcoat
And winter underwear;
I love to use my overboots
When going anywhere.
And then I love the days that bring
The January thaw,
And after these, a sudden freeze,
With north winds cold and raw.
Ah, yes, I love the winter time—
And if you say that you
Agree with me, then you must be
Fervidating, too!

Products Of The Farm

Where Many Of Canada's Leading Men Started Life

It's the farm that produces the boys that climb to the high places. The Vancouver Province in a survey found that most of the leaders in that city had worked on a farm at one stage or another in their lives. Major-General McCrear and Chas. Woodward, leading department store owner, started off at 20 cents a day wage and all they could eat." General J. W. Stewart, who commanded Canada's railway construction corps overseas during the Great War, worked as a laborer on a farm in Quebec. Mayor Malkin also reported that he had worked on a farm at one time. All the Prime Ministers of the western provinces started life on the farm. And we are sure there are just as ambitious boys on the farm today, and they will rise in Canada's service in the years to come.—The Lethbridge Herald.

Representative of gas company, to lady of the house: "I hear you have got an old geyser here that won't work."

Lady: "He's not in. He's down at the town hall getting the dolls!"

To Dignify Agriculture

Master Farmer Movement To Be Put In Operation In Western Canada

The master farmer scheme, to dignify agriculture and reward those farmers who have made a real contribution to community life, was outlined by L. T. Chapman, Winnipeg editor of the Northwest Farmer, before the convention of Saskatchewan Agricultural Societies, at Saskatoon. Mr. Chapman stated that it was proposed to put the movement in operation during the present year, when 12 gold medals would be awarded to Western farmers who could qualify for the honor. Four of these medals will be awarded to Saskatchewan agriculturists, nominated by neighbors as men who have set a real example to the community during a period of years, by reason of their farming methods, home-building and active interest in community matters. The Master Farmer Movement, introduced to Western Canada last year by the Nor' West Farmer, has spread rapidly. L. T. Chapman told the gathering. At present it is now being conducted by 13 farm journals throughout the West, and is now entering the Dominion.

The purpose of the movement is to recognize outstanding success in farming and in rural citizenship, the speaker explained. Through this medium, successful farmers may be honored in a fitting way as scientists, captains of industry and commerce have been honored for years.

Master farmers are decided upon by a standard score card, and to become a master farmer one must first of all be an outstanding farmer and manager, with accurate accounts that show his operations on a paying basis over a period of years. He must be a good husband and father, and one who provides a reasonable last year of so-called modern conveniences in the home, which is well enough equipped for living happy and useful lives. In concluding his address, Mr. Chapman cited numerous instances where Master Farmers were held up as an outstanding example in their respective communities.

Consequences Of War

Is The Worst Investment That Civilization Can Make

It is in the known consequences of war, more than in its imagined terrors, that we have a guarantee of lasting peace. It has been found out that war is stupid. It does not pay. Its frightful financial penalty rest upon the victors almost equally with the defeated. It used to be said that Germany regarded war, in the light of her own experience, as her most promising means of trade expansion and prosperity. No nation could today, rest under that pitiable delusion. War is the worst investment known to civilization. This is perhaps the strongest reason for pushing ahead with every organization and device—like the League of Nations, the Locarno Treaties, the Kellogg-Brand Treaty, naval conferences, the World Court—in order to make it probable that resort to war will never be necessary. Certain wars are already pronounced "unthinkable." But it will still take a lot of thinking, followed up by building of secure bulwarks of peace, in order to make sure that they are absolutely prevented.—New York Times.

Progress Seems Slow

Digging into the ruins of a village that existed 6,000 years ago archaeologists recently unearthed a stone tablet bearing the image of one of the ancients milking a cow, but working from the rear with the animal's tail over his head. In those 60 centuries we have progressed rather slowly and have moved only one quarter of the way around the cow. In fifty-time one position is as good as the other, and as the Irishman said, a darn sight better.—Farmers' Advocate.

He: "Don't go. You are leaving me entirely without reason."
She: "I always leave things as I find them."



"Hush! I'm thinking the other one is hitting on my line."—Buen Humor, Madrid.



When Food Sours

About two hours after eating many people suffer from sour stomachs. They call it indigestion. It means that the stomach nerves have been over-stimulated. There is excess acid. The way to correct it is with an alkali, which neutralizes many times the volume in acid.

The right way is Phillips' Milk of Magnesia—just a tasteless dose in water. It is pleasant, efficient, and

harmless. It has remained the standard with physicians in the 50 years since its invention.

It is the quick method. Results come almost instantly. It is the approved method. You will never use another when you know.

Be sure to get the genuine Phillips' Milk of Magnesia prescribed by physicians for 50 years in correcting excess acids. Each bottle contains full directions—any drugstore.

built in the days when most Wickfield dwellings were set flush with the sidewalk. Charman's great-grandfather had - explained (when curious neighbors commented on this fact), that he was unwilling to sacrifice the young elm tree but most of his questioners suspected that the underlying reason for this unusual proceeding was because great-grandfather Davis "hated dust."

This, at least, was the story that had come down to Charman, who declared that if her great-grandfather could have foretold the dust of the present day with automobiles passing at forty miles an hour, she would have set her mansion in what was then the cow pasture!

"But if she had," commented Grandma Davis wisely, "it wouldn't have been near so handy for the shop."

Charman smiled. The shop, which was once the honored parlor of the old Davis house, was an innovation against which Grandma had bitterly rebelled when it was first suggested by Charman's widowed mother.

At that time Charman was but a little maid of six, yet she remembered vividly the battle that took place before Grandma Davis capitulated to her daughter-in-law's irrefutable argument that it was more honorable for a Davis to run a shop in the best room than to go into debt.

She remembered also the day when the fine imported carpet was removed, and the contents of the highboy taken "up attic" in order to make room for the rolls of calico—the spools of silk and cotton—the pins and needles—bright worsteds and other fascinating odds and ends which were to be paid for "by instalment," whatever that was.

Wickfield was in sore need of a dry goods store, for Henry Oldham, who had run the general store for forty years, rarely replenished his stock, and one had to drive clear to Eastboro in order to match a skein of yarn!

Hence the neighbors, after a moment's shocked surprise, welcomed the thought of buying their fancy goods of Charman's mother; and as Grandma grew older, the little shop,

against which she had fought so valiantly, became her greatest source of entertainment.

Charman was fifteen when her mother died, but she managed to finish high school, to go to the State Normal at Eastboro, and keep house for Grandma, while the old lady contentedly in the front window and waited on occasional customers, unless, as was usually the case, they waited on themselves. Indeed the Davis house behind had seemed so natural without Grandma's face peering from behind that twenty-four-paneled window. Once, stepping in upon an errand, Ezra Bascomb had offered to put a whole pane of glass in the lower sash, so she could see the passing better.

"I could do it easy enough some holiday," he urged; but the old lady shook her head.

"It's real kind of you, Ezra," she said gratefully, "but my husband's grandfather, Luther Davis, built this house, and I've never felt called to want it changed. Seems as if one pane of glass wouldn't exactly suit it, though I've doubt Charman would find it easier to clean. Charman's terribly particular about windows. She says a soiled window can just spoil a nice, sunny morning; and I dunno but what she's right. Once when she was a little girl she gave me a wiper for my spectacles. It said on it: 'The world will never look quite right unless you keep your glasses bright,' and I presume that thing applies to windows. No, Ezra, I'm just obliged to you, but I guess we'll stick to Grandma Davis's old windows. Charman thinks the world and all of them."

"Well," responded Ezra, good-naturedly, "there's no accounting for taste. Now the first thing Emmy wanted when we was married was for me to yank those small-pane windows out o' the old house, and put in new ones. She's kept at me ever since, and at last I've done it; and I will say, Grandma, that they look handsome. But that city fellow, who's living down at Irving Plummer's, acted like I'd broke all ten commandments when I suggested changin' the windows along with the other improvements he's put in. No, there's no accounting for taste. He bought the place and furnishings as they stood, and he's got Hetty Plummer's golden oak extension table, the one she sent clear to Portland for, to his big room, and he's usin' an old mahogany drop-leaf that Grandma Plummer kept her preserves on in the cellar!"

"Do tell!"

"Yes, ma'am," replied Ezra, moving toward the door, "that's Gospel truth, or may I be struck dead where I stand."

He felt in his pocket for his cap, and drew out a scrap of bright blue silk.

"Gorry! I clean forgot what I was here for. Emmy wants a spool o' silk to match this sample. She's makin' her new waist to wear to the strawberry festival."

"Let's see," said Grandma eagerly, stretching out a hand for the sample. "That's real pretty. Emmy always did like a baby. You open the top drawer, Ezra, and take a spool to match."

"Emmy said," hesitated Ezra, like a well-trained husband, "that I was to let Charman pick it out. She says I ain't got an eye for color."

Grandma chuckled.

"And I suppose she won't trust me, either. I domo as I blame her. My eyes are getting old along with the rest of me. Charman's up attic. You whistle at the back stairs and she'll come down. There's her coming now."

"Dearie," she called, "you come right here. Emmy Bascomb wants you should pick out a spool o' silk to match her waist. Seems to me I remember the blues are getting sort of low."

Yes, the little shop had been Grandma's unfailing source of entertainment for many years. Even when with the invasion of automobiles, Eastboro became more accessible, the neighbors did what shopping they could at Grandma's, not only to help her out, but to make an excuse for running in to chat during the long days when Charman was away at school. If, nineteen years before, Wickfield had been shocked at the thought of a shop in Lawyer Davis's best room, it had long since become as accustomed to it as had Grandma herself, though at times the old lady wondered, with an inner chuckle, what her husband's father was thinking as he viewed the change from his mansion in the Eternal City.

For Roger Davis had been a lawyer—a man of education. His office, a small, one-story building, still stood across the drive that led to the big barn. He had been what in those days was called "a scholar and a gentleman," but, although he sent his son to college, "Grandpa Davis," after a year of reading law in his father's office, had "gone back to the land"; and being more of a dreamer than a worker, he left the old place rather worse off than when he fell heir to it. For he had found it pleasant as

DON'T SUFFER WITH DANGEROUS INDIGESTION

Do you suffer after meals with a belching from sour and acid stomach? Many believe they have heart trouble and tremble with fear, expecting any minute to drop dead. This condition can be prevented, likewise relieved.

Take Carter's Little Liver Pills after meals and neutralize the gas. Sweeten the sour and acid stomach, relieve the gas and encourage digestion. The stomach, liver and bowels will be cleansed of poison, painful and dangerous indigestion disappears and the system enjoys a tonic effect. Don't delay. Ask your druggist for a 25c pkg. of Carter's Little Liver Pills.

well as easier, to let his horses rest when they should have been dragging the plow, while he feasted his beauty-loving eyes on the hills that surrounded Wickfield on every side, and composed "poetry."

Grandma was very proud of Grandma's poems. Once one of them was printed in the Eastboro "Telegraph," and the minister read it from the pulpit. That was a proud day for Grandma Davis. She still kept a clipping of the poem between the pages of her Bible, and read it every night after she said her prayers. To her loyal heart it was a legacy more beautiful than gold or precious stones.

And now, though she and Charman were left alone in the big house, it never occurred to them to leave it. To Grandma it was "home." To the girl it was not only home, but something that gave her a sense of satisfaction and pride. For was it not something to be proud of, to live in a house built by one's great-grandfather? This alone was compensation for the things she lacked—things that were, to many a girl of her age, the breath of life.

(To Be Continued.)

Has Long Railway Experience

H. H. Melanson Appointed Assistant to Robert L. Burnap, Of Canadian National System

H. H. Melanson has been appointed assistant traffic vice-president, Canadian National Railways, with headquarters at Montreal. Announcement of the appointment was made in a circular issued by R. L. Burnap, vice-president in charge of Traffic, and approved by Sir Henry Thornton.

The appointment is effective immediately and the official announcement states that Mr. Melanson will have charge of operations and will perform such duties as may be assigned to him from time to time by the vice-president.

H. H. Melanson brings to his new executive position long railway experience. Descended from Acadia, he settled at Fort Royal in 1860, he entered the service of the International Railway, at Moncton, N.B., in 1889, being then described as "Assistant to the Junior Clerk" in the railway department. Three years later he joined the passenger department of the Intercolonial Railway, and in 1899, was promoted to the position of chief clerk of that department. After becoming general baggage agent, Mr. Melanson was made assistant general passenger agent in 1913. In 1917, Mr. Melanson was appointed passenger traffic manager of the Canadian Government Railways, and he was made passenger traffic manager of the Canadian National Railways, in 1918. This position he held until his appointment, in 1923, as general passenger traffic manager of the Canadian National Railways.

Mr. Melanson is one of two Canadians to have held the office of president of the American Association of Passenger Officers, which met last year at Jasper Park Lodge during the course of a tour through Western Canada, the other Canadian to have had this honor being Mr. George T. Bell, formerly executive assistant to the traffic vice-president, Canadian National Railways.

Check Falling Hair with Minard's.

Fish Freezing Plant

A plant for the cleaning, filleting and freezing of fish will be set up in Edmonton shortly, according to "The Journal," quoting A. S. Dulcis, president of the Edmonton Cold Storage Company, and director of the Pacific Coast-Terminals Cold Storage Company.

Fletcher's CASTORIA

FOR QUICK, HARMLESS COMFORT Children Cry for it

W. N. U. 1823

Whaling Up-To-Date

Airplanes Being Used As Scouts By Norwegian Fleet

A Norwegian whaling fleet now at work off the ice banks of the Antarctic is accompanied by two aeroplanes which are being used to scout for schools of whales. It has been found that in certain years the whales are much more difficult to find than in others; in fact, they seem practically to disappear, and it is hoped that the aeroplanes with its greater mobility and wide range of vision will be able to help in solving the problem. The machines can be equipped with three sets of landing gear: wheels for landing on the deck of the "mother" vessel, pontoons for the water, and skis for the ice. A wireless "there she blows" will summon the fleet when the aeroplanes sight their quarry.

There Also Should Be A Box Of Baby's Own Tablets

To keep her little ones well is the constant aim of every mother and to help her in this task she should always keep a box of Baby's Own Tablets in the home. These Tablets have saved many little lives when illness came on suddenly.

The majority of troubles which afflict little ones are those which arise from a disordered condition of the stomach and bowels. It is in quickly correcting these disorders that Baby's Own Tablets show their power. They relieve constipation and indigestion; correct colic and diarrhoea; break up colds and simple fever; and always soothing pain.

Concerning the Tablets Mrs. E. Roberts, Cap. aux. C. of Que., writes:—"I always keep Baby's Own Tablets in the house as I know of nothing to equal them for little ones."

The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Seven Hundred Mile Line

Length Of Surveyed Boundary Between Alberta and Saskatchewan

The boundary between Alberta and Saskatchewan is the Fourth Meridian of the Dominion Lands survey system, which coincides approximately with the 110th meridian of west longitude and a straight line of nearly seven hundred miles, constituting one of the longest surveyed straight lines in the world.

Miller's Worm Powders will eradicate the worms that bore so heavily on children and is believed to cause many fatalities. They are as sure as death to children and can be fully relied upon to clear the food channels thoroughly of these destructive parasites and restore the inflamed and painful surfaces to healthfulness. They are an excellent remedy for these evils.

Cost Of Translations

French and German Cheapest, and Finnish Is Dearest

Language experts should find something to interest them in the tariff of a translation firm I have just been looking over, writes "Looker On" in the London "Daily Chronicle." French and German are the cheapest, and Finnish is the dearest to translate. Italian and Spanish are a little dearer, and Dutch and the Scandinavian languages come next on the list of charges. Greek translations cost considerably more than Russian—they rank in cost with Rumanian, Hungarian, Serbian and Czech. Lithuanian comes next, while Finnish, "dearest" language of all, costs about eight times as much as French.

Quarry Should Be Marked

Stone For England's Cenotaph Taken From Isle Of Portland

The stone from which England's famous cenotaph is hewn was quarried in the Isle of Portland, a peninsula in Dorsetshire, south of Weymouth, projecting into the English Channel, and terminating in the Bill of Portland. The quarry is situated at the lower end of a long, quaint, straggling road, named Wakeham Street. The little quarry is now worked out, its lifting gear dismantled and taken elsewhere. In course of time its situation may be easily forgotten unless marked in some way. Meantime, red poppies in their season bloom luxuriously among the debris.

Calgary's Building Permits

Calgary's building permits for the year numbered 1,883 and had a recorded value of \$11,417,194, compared with 454 in 1922, with a value of \$9,502,542 for 1922.

The weekly catch of herrings of Yarmouth, England, exceeds 300,000, 000.

Minard's—The Great White Liniment

AINED 11 Lbs. in 8 Weeks And a Boy Friend!
 writes Susan Dallas, "Thousands of new friends I have made in 8 weeks. This change in my weight, complexion, nerves, etc. has been effected by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People from my druggist today."

Little Helps For This Week

"The Lord our God will we serve, And His voice will we obey."—Joshua xxiv. 24.

So high is grandeur to our dust, So near is God to man, that when the youth whispers low, "Thou must," The youth replies, "I can."

When in the crises of your duty the voice of peace and right summons you with its sweet compulsion, it is the call of the Eternal King making itself heard in your waking soul. It is the summons of God through the voice of duty. Not far away lie the sources of religious trust; not in the evidences of the stars, or sea, or ancient man, but here amid the inevitable experiences of our daily mistakes, and of our sincere repentances.

The life of God and the life of man are all interwoven in the web of human experiences.—Francis G. Peabody.

A Remarkable Exhibit

Edmonton Has Fine Display Of Northern Grasses and Grasses

Grown 300 miles north of Edmonton, at the crown files, at the Dominion Experimental Farm, at Fort Vermilion, Alberta, on the Peace River, a most remarkable display of grasses and grasses of last season's crop are on display at the Edmonton Chamber of Commerce.

Exhibits include thirteen varieties of wheat grown in experimental plots; eight of oats, five of barley, two of flax and two of rye. The wheat includes such well known varieties as Red Fife, Marquis, etc., and the oats include Banner, Legend, Victory and two varieties of hull-less oats—Laurel and Liberty.

Twelve of the 13 varieties of wheat sown April 30, the other, Marquis, May 8. Three of the varieties were cut August 15; significant that Marquis, sown eight days later than all the other varieties ripened as rapidly as two others sown eight days earlier—Kitcheners and Red Fife.

All samples are of excellent quality, with strong root growth, sturdy stands and plump, well-filled heads, with heads ripened perfectly.

Exhausted From Asthma. Many who read these words know the terrible drain upon health and strength, which comes in the form of asthma, trouble. Many do not realize, however, that there is one true remedy which will usually stop the attack. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is a wonderful check to this enervating ailment. It has a countless record of relief to its credit. It is sold everywhere.

Measured Earth

The earth is not round after all. It is flattened at the poles, and has quite a pronounced heaviness about the middle. A. H. Miller, a Canadian scientist attached to the Dominion Observatory, in Ottawa, has completed measurements this year which show the diameter through the poles is 26 miles less than through the equator.

Was In Bed All Summer

"I have to work in the store and do my own housework, too, and I got nervous and run-down and wasn't doing nearly all summer. The least noise would make me nervous. I was told to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I have taken seven bottles. It has made me stronger and put more color into my face. I am looking after my store and housework and my four children and I am getting along nicely now."

—Mrs. J. Malm, R. R. No. 5, Bates St. East, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.

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Don't be a martyr to unnecessary pain. Lots of suffering is, indeed, quite needless. Headaches, for example. They come without warning, but one can always be prepared. Aspirin is the best thing prompt relief. Keep a bottle of them at the office. Carry the small tin in your pocket. Then you won't have to hunt a druggist, or wait till you get home.

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Purchase genuine Aspirin. Protect yourself by looking for that name. Always the same. Always safe. Never hurts the heart.



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of the firm of Millican & Millican, Barristers, Solicitors and Notaries, 900 Lancaster Building, Calgary, will be at Treadway & Springstons' office, Crossfield on Saturday of each week for the general practice of the law.
MONEY TO LOAN PHONE 3

Council Meetings
The council of the village of Crossfield will meet in the Office of the Secretary Treasurer on the first Monday of each month commencing with February at the hour 8 o'clock p.m.
By Order of the Village Council.
W. McCrory, Sec.-Treas.

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Also at Carstairs every Monday

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FOR SALE—R. C. White Wyandotte Cockerels; 5 birds. Solly's XX strain \$2.50 each.
GEORGE LEASK
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FOR SALE—1 Gobbler, from Government banded strain.
Phone 602, Crossfield

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6th.

Remember, The Old Timers' Round-Up in the U. F. A. Hall, Crossfield on Wednesday, Feb'y. 12th. Banquet, entertainment and dance. Whoopie!

A vestry meeting was held at home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fox on Tuesday evening of this week. Rev. Adams Cooper occupying the chair. There were several matters of importance brought up and discussed at some length in connection with the church. Everybody was unanimous in expressing the opinion that it was the best vestry meeting held for some time. After the meeting was brought to a close Mrs. Fox served a very dainty buffet luncheon.

A most enjoyable "Five Hundred" card party and dance was held in the East Community Hall on Friday evening last.

Ten tables of Five Hundred and the prize winners were: Ladies, Mrs. L. Nichol; consolation, Mrs. Jim. McCool; gent's first, Mr. J. McCool; consolation, Mr. E. Green.

Get your 1930 license plates at the Crossfield post office.

The Family Herald & Weekly Star and the Crossfield Chronicle for one year for \$2.00.

Church Services

Church of St. Frances of Rome
Holy Mass on the 2nd and 4th. Sundays at 10.30.

The Very Rev. Dean Dargan (Carstairs) Priest in Charge

Church of the Ascension
On 1st, 3rd, and 5th. Sundays of the month. Evensong and sermon at 7.30 p. m.

On 2nd and 4th. Sunday, Mattins and Holy Communion at 11 a.m. Sunday School every Sunday at 10 o'clock.

J. T. ADAMS COOPER, RECTOR

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Sunday School every Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m.
W. WALDICE, Supt.

Evening Service every Sunday at 7.30 p. m.
H. YOUNG, MINISTER
You are cordially invited.

Local and General

Have you joined the Board of Trade? Do it today

Rev. J. T. Adams-Cooper spent Monday in Calgary.

Archie McFadyen spent Monday in Calgary.

We hear that Mr. and Mrs. Mair intend moving back to the farm within the next few days.

You can get your Board of Trade Membership Cards at the Chronicle office.

Miss Alice Collicutt and Miss Gladys Methelal spend the weekend in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Mair entertained the teachers from the local school to dinner on Monday last.

Mr. George Huser of Calgary was a visitor in town today (Thursday).

Mr. and Mrs. Alger Clay of Calgary, spent the weekend in town the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Miller.

William Russell claims that we will have three weeks' of this spring weather before another cold snap. Believe it or not.

The results of the quarterly examinations of the Crossfield School will be published next week.

"Bigger and Better Than Ever" is the slogan of the Old Timers' Association for their Annual Round-Up on February 12th.

The Sunshine U. F. A., junior and senior, are holding a dance at the school on Friday, February 7th. There will be good music.

Leslie Spivey, assistant announcer at (J.C.J. Calgary, spent last Thursday in town visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Spivey.

Miss Adeline Kline left on Sunday for Calgary where she will reside. Miss Kline has been on the local telephone staff for the past 8 years and her cheerful hello will be greatly missed.

Secretary Ivor Lewis of the Old Timers' Association, has received several requests for membership cards from old timers in the outlying districts.

A book rack has been made and presented to the church of the Ascension by Master Vivian Major. It is of Gothic design and very neatly made.

The Women's Guild will hold a Valentine Tea and Sale of home cooking on Saturday, February 15th in the U. F. A. hall. Tea served from 3.30 till 6. Everybody welcome.

Arrangements are being completed for the first meeting and luncheon of the Board of Trade. Full particulars will be given on a poster to be printed as soon as details are complete.

The Carstairs juniors defeated the local juniors here on Wednesday night 10 goals to 1. The ice was bad, but had nothing on young Hewitt, the local goal keeper.

The Five Hundred Club met at the home of Mrs. W. E. Spivey on Wednesday night. Mrs. W. H. Miller winning first; and Mrs. Gazeley the consolation. A dainty luncheon was served by the hostess.

A meeting of the Crossfield Agricultural Society will be held in the Fire Hall, Crossfield on Saturday, Feb. 15th at 3 o'clock for the purpose of electing officers for 1930 and transacting other business.

Leslie Farr of Airdrie was a business visitor in town on Monday. Mr. Farr has arranged with the Chronicle for the printing of a telephone directory card for Crossfield, Airdrie and Irricana. Mr. Farr is a successful business man and is strong for advertising.

F. C. Potts of the Alberta Trackways was in town last week canvassing for signers to petition the Government for a charter to allow the building of a cement road between Calgary and Jasper Park.

G. William's Rink Won

The Cruickshank Cup

President William's rink won the Inter-rink competition with 9 wins and 2 losses, thereby winning the Cruickshank Cup and gold medals. A. H. Miller's rink and the J. R. Gilchrist rink tied for second place with 8 wins and 3 losses.

The winning rink: Happy McMillan, lead; Hughie McIntyre, second; A. A. Hall, third; Glen Williams, skip.

Glen Williams cinched the cup and medals when he won from McCaskill on Friday night. Although Dull Hall was unable to play thru illness, Hughie McIntyre moving up to third, and playing a whale of a game, while Happy played at second, with Charlie Purvis filling in as lead. It was just too bad for Hall McCaskill and his helpers when this gang got through with them. When "Heavy" Williams is on, its just too bad for the rest of us.

The Miller rink played steady throughout the competition. They blew up in the 12th end in their game with Gilchrist after outplaying the C.P.R. most of the way the Bankers' let Joe pile up a 4 end, which gave him a 1 point win.

Bill Pogge and his merry men led the parade for the first three weeks of play and it looked as if Bill would be wearing a medal, until Hall McCaskill and J. S. Jarmar put the skids under him, then he took another one or two on the chin and dropped back among the also rans.

Jim Williams rink came like a house on fire after a bad start. They won 6 out of the last 7 games played. Not bad.

The Gordon Purvis rink came out of a bad slump last Thursday night and with Charlie skipping they defeated the strong Meyers rink by the odd point in a good game that was won with the last rock.

The Meyers rink skipped by Mr. R. Smart hung up a seasons' record on Thursday afternoon last when they defeated Lloyd McCrory's rink 21 shots to 2. Luck was all against Lloyd and his boys.

The ice is covered with water at the time of writing and a chinook wind blowing, but if it turns cold we are likely to hold a bonspiel.

Carstairs Bonspiel Postponed

The following rinks from the local club are attending the Carstairs bonspiel which started on Tuesday of this week.

The personnel of the rinks: C. M. S. Thomas, Ed. Meyers, J. L. McCrory, G. Williams, skip, Wm. Russell, J. A. McFadyen, T. Goldie, A. H. Miller, skip, J. McCool, A. High, G. Purvis, C. Purvis, skip.

M. Major, Fred Baker, Wm. Stralo, H. McCaskill, skip, E. Bills, Rev. Forster, Rev. H. Young, J. Gilchrist, skip.

The Carstairs bonspiel just got nicely started on Tuesday morning when a real chinook set in, and before the three o'clock draw was completed the ice was covered with water and more fit for water polo than curling. After the night draw was completed the bonspiel committee decided to postpone the spiel and wait for a cold snap.

Glen Williams' rink played and won both their games. Purvis Bros. won and lost a game, McCaskill and Gilchrist each dropping a game. The Miller rink could not stand the canoeing at all and sank in both games played.

In speaking before the American Society of Civil Engineers, H. J. Huelling, State engineer of Wisconsin, stated that the average saving to car owners using concrete road instead of gravel where a road carries 1,000 cars a day, will in twenty years amount to \$172,000 per mile. Crossfield is approximately thirty miles from Calgary, thus in twenty years the saving to Crossfield and district using the concrete road to Calgary would be \$5,160,000.

Local and General.

A. J. Young, has resigned his position with the Royal Bank at Consort, and spend the week-end in town visiting his grand-parents Mr. and Mrs. W. McCrory and his sister Miss Young. Mr. Young left on Monday to visit his parents at Macleod.

To Celebrate 80th Birthday

Mr. J. B. McNichol, who has resided in the Crossfield district since 1903, but who has unfortunately been ill since last October, is considerably improved in health. He is celebrating his 80th birthday on Sunday, Feb. 9th, and will be glad to see any of his friends between the hours of three and five o'clock.

The Ladies' Home Journal for two years for \$1.50. Leave your subscription at the Chronicle office.

Items for this column are always welcome.

OBITUARY

MRS. ELNA SWENSON
Mrs. Elna Swenson, 66 years of age; of Airdrie, died Sunday noon in a Calgary hospital. She came to Canada in 1906 from her birthplace, Hoby, Sweden, and settled in the Airdrie district.

Mrs. Swenson leaves her husband, three sons, Albin, Oscar and Carl, and one daughter, Mrs. J. Boyd all of the Airdrie district.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday from the Church of the Brethren, Airdrie and were conducted by Rev. I. M. McCune.

Notice

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